

12.1 GREAT EXPERIENCES

- G present perfect
- P sentence stress: present perfect
- V experiences

VOCABULARY

EXPERIENCES

- 1 A** Complete the phrases below with the words in the box. Use the photos to help you.

be ride do sleep climb meet go watch

- 1 be in a play/in a film
- 2 _____ a bungee jump/a parachute jump
- 3 _____ someone famous/a great new friend on a train or plane journey
- 4 _____ an elephant/a motorbike
- 5 _____ to a live sporting event/to a karaoke bar
- 6 _____ outside/in an unusual place
- 7 _____ a mountain/a volcano
- 8 _____ the sun rise/your favourite band or singer live in concert

- B** Work in pairs. Look at photos A–E and discuss the questions.

- 1 Which activities above can you see in the photos?
- 2 Which activities would you like to do? Why?
- 3 Which activities would you not like to do? Why not?



LISTENING

- A** **12.1** Listen to a survey about great experiences. Tick the things the speakers have done or seen.

	1	2	3
karaoke			
an elephant ride			
the sun rise			
a volcano			
a bungee jump			
being in a film			

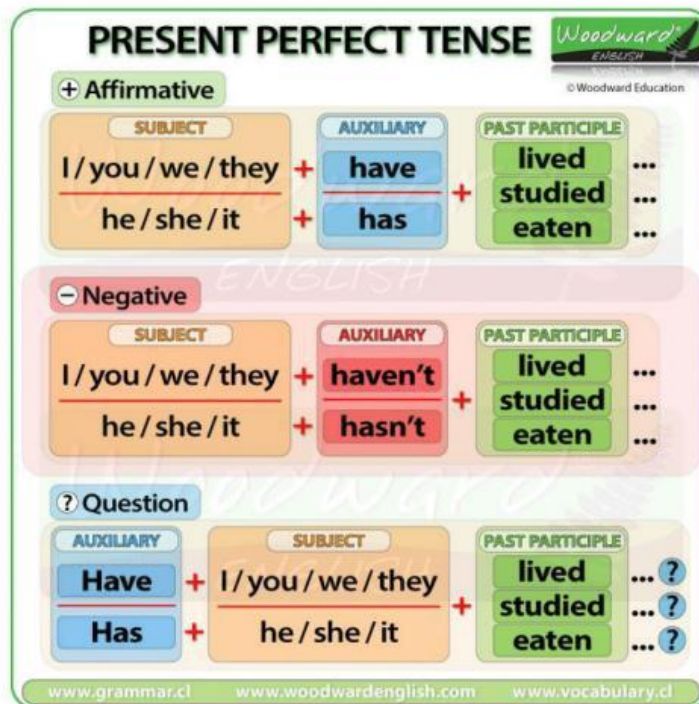
- B** Look at these sentences. Which speaker might say each one? Write 1, 2 or 3.

- 1 'It's my favourite song!'
- 2 'I did it on holiday in Italy.'
- 3 'I'd like to try it. It looks fun but scary!'
- 4 'I wasn't very good, but lots of people watched it on YouTube.'
- 5 'Everyone in Japan does it.'
- 6 'I enjoyed it more than my husband did.'

GRAMMAR

PRESENT PERFECT

Present Perfect — граматична комбінація теперішнього часу та доконаного аспекту, яка використовується для вираження минулої події, яка має теперішні наслідки. Цей термін використовується, зокрема, в контексті англійської граматики для позначення таких форм, як «я закінчив».



Write the past participle of the verbs.

- | | |
|------------------|---------------|
| 1 be <u>been</u> | 6 ride _____ |
| 2 climb _____ | 7 drink _____ |
| 3 do _____ | 8 play _____ |
| 4 travel _____ | 9 meet _____ |
| 5 have _____ | 10 fly _____ |

Look at the table and complete the sentences.
Use the present perfect form of the verbs.

	Ethan	Amy	Tom and Lily
go to South America	✓	✗	✓
see Red Square	✗	✓	✓
eat Mexican food	✗	✓	✗
visit the Louvre gallery in Paris	✗	✗	✓
swim in the Black Sea	✓	✗	✗

- Ethan has been to South America.
- Amy _____ to South America.
- Tom and Lily _____ Red Square.
- Ethan _____ Red Square.
- Amy _____ Mexican food.
- Tom and Lily _____ Mexican food.
- Tom and Lily _____ the Louvre gallery in Paris.
- Amy _____ in the Black Sea.

5 A Read Jim's travel blog and write the correct day under each picture.



Day 1



Day 1

We arrived in Piraeus early this morning. Liz has never seen the Parthenon. I've been to Athens once before, so I'm going to be her tour guide. We're going there tonight!

In the afternoon, we went by train from Piraeus into the city of Athens, and walked up to the Parthenon – amazing!

Day 2

Back to Athens again and this time we found a restaurant in the Plaka area. We've eaten Greek food many times back in New Zealand, but this is real Greek food! This is the first time in my life that I've tried octopus and it was delicious!

Day 3

We stayed overnight in Athens and then took a bus down to Cape Sounion in the afternoon to visit the Temple of Poseidon. We've seen many sunsets in our lives, but this was the most beautiful – the sun going down into the Aegean Sea.

Day 4

We left Piraeus early this morning and sailed for twenty hours to the island of Santorini. We arrived in the old port late in the evening. Tomorrow morning we're going up to the village – by donkey! I've ridden horses, camels, and elephants but I've never ridden a donkey!

Day 5

Donkey disaster! I'm writing this from a hospital bed in Athens. We started our donkey ride this morning and I made a big mistake: I walked behind the donkey and it kicked me in the stomach! There was no hospital on the island, so they took me by helicopter to Athens. I've broken three bones ... and I still haven't ridden a donkey. But I have flown in a helicopter!

B Read the blog again. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- 1 Jim and Liz walked from Piraeus to Athens. F
- 2 Jim hasn't eaten Greek food before.
- 3 Jim liked the octopus.
- 4 They watched the sunrise near the Temple of Poseidon.
- 5 Jim and Liz travelled to Santorini by boat.
- 6 Jim enjoyed riding the donkey.
- 7 Jim flew back to Athens.
- 8 Now he's back home in New Zealand.

C Correct the false sentences.

Jim and Liz went to Athens by train.

A Imagine it's before the holiday. Read the blog again and write short answers to the questions.

- 1 Has Liz ever seen the Parthenon? No, she hasn't.
- 2 Has Jim ever been to Athens?
- 3 Has Jim ever eaten octopus?
- 4 Have Jim and Liz ever seen a sunset?
- 5 Has Jim ever ridden a donkey?

B Now imagine it's after the holiday. Read the questions in Exercise 6A again and write short answers.

- 1 Yes, she has.
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5

12.2 **AFRAID OF NOTHING**

- G** present perfect and past simple
- P** irregular past participles
- V** prepositions



Eunice Huthart has accidents all the time. She's jumped off ships and fallen off buildings. She's driven cars very fast and crashed them, and she's loved every moment. Eunice is a stunt double in films and does things that most of us think are crazy.

Crashing a car at high speed, walking away, and then waking up the next morning with a few aches and pains is all part of the job for a stunt double.

Eunice has done stunts in Harry Potter and James Bond films. She's been Angelina Jolie's stunt double in many films, from the *Lara Croft: Tomb Raider* series to *Maleficent*.

Eunice has broken some bones, and perhaps her worst accident was during *Titanic* when she jumped off the ship onto some boxes and broke her cheek bone. Eunice worked on *Titanic* in her first year as a stuntwoman, in 1996.

Broken bones and other injuries are normal for stunt doubles. So why do they do it? Most talk about the excitement, the challenge and the big money.

Eunice now works more as a stunt director, directing other stunt performers. Altogether she has worked on over fifty films.

Eunice loves her job, but in the end she's a family person. When asked about the most memorable moment in her life, she talked about the birth of her daughter and Liverpool winning the European Cup.

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C Read the article again. Are sentences 1–6 true (T) or false (F)?

- 1 She likes doing car stunts.
- 2 She started doing stunt work over fifteen years ago.
- 3 She gets angry when she hurts herself in her job.
- 4 She often works as a stuntwoman these days.
- 5 Stunt doubles get a lot of money for their work.
- 6 Her work is more important than her family.

GRAMMAR

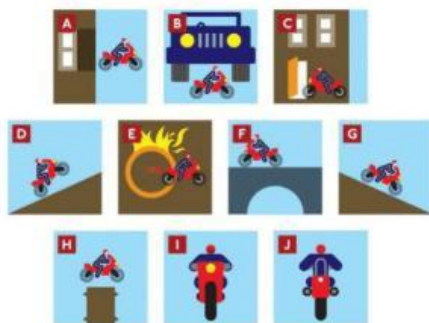
PRESENT PERFECT AND PAST SIMPLE

A Write the questions in full. Use the present perfect and *ever*.

- 1 see / *Titanic*?
- 2 break / your arm?
- 3 eat / anything unusual?
- 4 swim / in a river?
- 5 make / anything to wear?
- 6 go / to a really hot or cold country?

VOCABULARY

PREPOSITIONS



B Match the prepositions in the box with the pictures A-J.

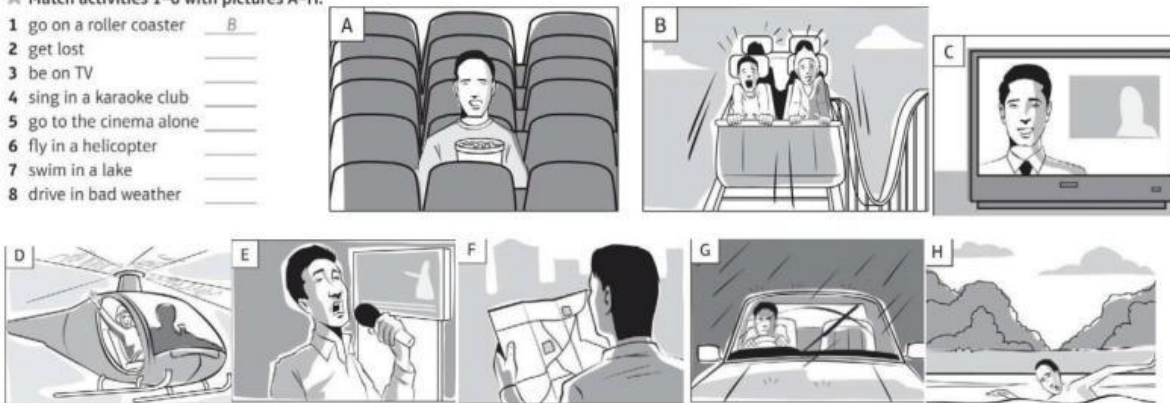
down through up out of under towards
away from across over into

D Complete the situations with a preposition of movement. More than one might be possible.

- 1 driving through a very long tunnel
- 2 going _____ in a glass lift
- 3 walking _____ a big dog
- 4 walking _____ a big park alone
- 5 going _____ a bridge when a train is going _____ the bridge
- 6 riding a bike fast _____ a big hill
- 7 walking _____ a rope bridge
- 8 walking _____ a room full of new people

A Match activities 1-8 with pictures A-H.

- 1 go on a roller coaster B
- 2 get lost _____
- 3 be on TV _____
- 4 sing in a karaoke club _____
- 5 go to the cinema alone _____
- 6 fly in a helicopter _____
- 7 swim in a lake _____
- 8 drive in bad weather _____



C 12.2 Listen to four conversations.

Which situations from Exercise 1B do the people talk about?

- Conversation 1 6
- Conversation 2 _____
- Conversation 3 _____
- Conversation 4 _____

D Listen again. Write when the person did the activity.

- Conversation 1 five years ago
- Conversation 2 _____
- Conversation 3 _____
- Conversation 4 _____

GRAMMAR

PRESENT PERFECT AND PAST SIMPLE

2 Underline the correct alternatives.

Conversation 1

A: ¹Did you ever fly/Have you ever flown in a helicopter?

B: No, I ²didn't/haven't. ³Did/Have you?

A: Yes, I ⁴did/have. Just once, when I ⁵went/'ve been helicopter skiing, five years ago.

Conversation 2

A: ⁶Have you ever sung/Did you ever sing in a karaoke bar?

B: No, but I ⁷sang/'ve sung at a party. It ⁸was/'s been last year sometime. No, two years ago. At a birthday party.

A: What ⁹did you sing/have you sung?

B: I can't remember ... Oh, yes – I did it my way.

Conversation 3

A: ¹⁰Did you ever drive/Have you ever driven in really bad weather?

B: Yes, I ¹¹drove/'ve driven up to Scotland to visit my grandparents in 2007, and it just ¹²snowed/has snowed non-stop.

Complete the conversations with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

Conversation 1

A: ¹Have you ever ridden (you / ever / ride) a horse?

B: Yes, I have. I ² (ride) one in Argentina last year.

A: ³ (you / like) it?

B: Yes, it ⁴ (be) fun, but the horse ⁵ (not go) very fast.

Conversation 2

A: Does Emilio go everywhere by motorbike?

B: Yes, he does.

A: ⁶ (he / ever / hurt) himself?

B: Yes, he ⁷ (break) his arm twice.

A: Really? How ⁸ (he / do) that?

B: Both times the weather ⁹ (be) bad and he ¹⁰ (fall) off the bike.

4 Look at the map and complete the directions with the prepositions in the box.

through (x2) down up under towards
away from across over into

Get off the train and walk ¹ through the station and ² the steps. There's a big square in front of the station with a clock tower on the other side. Walk ³ the square ⁴ the clock tower. Walk past the clock tower and go straight on until you see a bridge going ⁵ the road. Walk ⁶ the bridge and soon you'll see a shopping centre on your left. It's called WhiteWays. Walk ⁷ the shopping centre and at the other side you'll come out in Kirkby Street. Walk along Kirkby Street ⁸ the shopping centre. Then turn right into Sedgfield Road. My flat is in number thirty-five. The door's usually open so just come ⁹ the hall. Walk ¹⁰ the stairs to the first floor. My door is the blue one.

