



S + have/has + been + V-ing

They have been learning English for 2 years.



S + have/has + not + been + V-ing

They have not been learning English for 2 years.



Have/has + S + been + V-ing

Have they been learning English for 2 years?

Usage

Example

Express long actions that started in the past and continue until now

I've been living in Ireland for almost 4 years.

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs.

- 1- She (study) for the test for two hours.
- 2- They (not play) basketball all day.
- 3- Have you (read) that book?
- 4- He (work) since morning.
- 5- I (not practice) the piano lately.
- 6- We (travel) to different countries.
- 7- they (eat) at the new restaurant?
- 8- she (wait) for you for an hour?
- 9- She (not run) in the marathon.
- 10- We (dance) at the party all night.
- 11- I (not swim) in the ocean for a while.
- 12- Has he (play) soccer for the team?

I	have		
You	have		
He	has		
She	has	been	working.
It	has		
We	have		
They	have		

I	have		
You	have		
He	has		
She	has		
It	has		
We	have		
They	have		

Yes, No,

Have	I		
Have	you		
Has	he	been	working?
Has	she		
Has	it		
Have	we		
Have	they		

I	have.	I	have
you	have.	you	have
he	has.	he	has
she	has.	she	has
it	has.	it	has
we	have.	we	have
they	have.	they	have

● Study the boxes above. Then, complete the sentences below.

1. My cat has been (sleep) sleeping all day.



2. A: Jim (do) exercise?

B: Yes, he . He needs a rest.

3. It (rain) for several days.

4. I failed the test because I not (study) hard.

5. We (drive) for two hours.

6. Tracy and Tom (play) tennis for an hour.

7. A: I'm sorry I'm late. you (wait) a long time?

B: No, I .

8. Where you (spend) your summer holidays?

9. Who (eat) my cookies?

10. A: You look tired. you (work) hard?

B: Yes, I .

11. I (think) about quitting my job.

12. Why you (get) up so early recently?