

PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS

1

Write sentences so they have the same meaning.
Use the present perfect continuous and *for* or *since*.

- 0 I wrote my first song when I was ten years old. I'm fifteen now.

I've been writing songs for five years.

- 1 She started doing her homework at 8.30.

- 2 They went to live in the USA when her dad got a job in New York. They went a year ago.

- 3 He decided to learn English when he met his English girlfriend.

- 4 She called her mother half an hour ago and they are still talking.

- 5 I started singing in the band five months ago.

2

Complete the sentences. Use the present perfect continuous form of the verbs in the list.

not sleep well | rain | wait for Lucy
bake a cake | wash the car | read

- 0 Tom's clothes are dirty because he has been washing the car.
- 1 Agata's wet because it _____.
- 2 My eyes are tired because I _____.
- 3 There's a nice smell of chocolate in the house because mum _____.
- 4 Jane is tired because she _____.
- 5 Filip is angry because he _____.