

Lesson 2a

We use **present perfect** to talk about **an action that started in the past and continues in the present.**

Subject + **have/has** + **verb in past participle** + **complement**

- **We have lived** in this town for 20 years

With present perfect we can also use some time expressions:



- We use **since** to talk about **when the action started**
- We use **for** to express **the duration of that action**

Lesson 2c

We can use **"yet"** and **"already"** with present perfect to talk about **the completion of an action.**

*We have **already** seen that movie*

- ★ **Already** is used in **affirmative sentences** (have + already + verb past part.)
- ★ It expresses that the action is completed or **happened before the moment of speaking.**

*I **haven't finished** my homework **yet***

- ★ Use **yet** with **negative sentences**, it usually goes at the end.
- ★ We use **"yet"** when **the action hasn't been finished** or completed by the expected time.

1. Complete each of the following sentences using 'yet' or 'already'

- A) I haven't eaten anythingand feel quite hungry.)
- B) I have cooked something so don't bring me anything please.
- C) Emmet told me his surname but I have..... forgotten it.
- D) Ana hasn't seen that new series.....
- E) Have you eaten those crackers? I've seen them quite a bit there
- F) Have you..... met your new boss? 'Cause you should!
- G) Shannon hasn't started working on the project.
- H) I have..... sent the payment.
- I) I am so surprised that Melisa has..... finished the job.
- J) The government hasn't approved the project.....
- I) We have..... had enough.

2. Choose the best answer.

- 1. Milton hasn't _____.
called/yet
already/called
call/yet
- 2. Have you _____ to her _____?
Spoken/Already
yet/Spoke
Spoken/yet
- 3. I've _____ that movie twice.
yet/saw
already/seen
already/been
- 4. I've _____ you not to come home so late.
yet/asked
already/asked
yet/asken
- 5. Have Majo and Tatiana _____ the cat _____?
yet/found
found/yet
already/found
- 6. I haven't _____ a chance to look at your test _____.
yet/had
already/hadn't
had/yet

7. I've _____ there several times .
already/been
been/yet
been/already
8. Detectives haven't _____ the case _____.
already/solved
solved/already
solved/yet
9. Have you _____ at that bar _____?
yet/drunk
already/drunk
drunk/yet
10. Have you _____ at that restaurant?
already/eaten
yet/ate
yet/eaten