

## LANGUAGE IN ACTION

Present perfect: affirmative and negative

1  Complete the table with the correct past participles.

be	was	1 <u>been</u>
change	changed	2 <u></u>
choose	chose	3 <u></u>
do	did	4 <u></u>
hear	heard	5 <u></u>
learn	learned	6 <u></u>
design	designed	7 <u></u>
see	saw	8 <u></u>

2  Complete the sentences with the present perfect form of the verbs in Exercise 1.

- 1 Maisie has learned to use her new phone now.
- 2 Technology changes the way we learn.
- 3 The reporter has been to many different schools in the US.
- 4 I have seen the new *Mission Impossible* film: don't miss it, it's great.
- 5 The students have chosen their subjects for next year.
- 6 We have bought our maths and ICT homework.
- 7 I have created a website for our basketball team.
- 8 Paul has told the news, so you don't have to tell him.

3  Make the sentences negative.

- 1 I've charged my phone.  
I haven't charged my phone.
- 2 Sergey's forgotten his password.
- 3 Wanda's broken her watch.
- 4 We've bought a new computer.
- 5 They've turned on the TV.
- 6 I've asked for more information.

4  Write sentences with the present perfect.

- 1 I haven't finished my homework for tomorrow.
- 2 Gerrie hasn't read anything about Silicon Valley.

- 3 we haven't looked for some better information.

- 4 they haven't bought a new computer online.

- 5 he hasn't used the latest software.

- 6 the boys haven't rung their parents.

5  Choose the correct verb in each pair. Then complete the text with the present perfect form.



Hi Jess,

Good news! I <sup>1</sup> 've thrown (throw / push) away my old tablet! Mum and Dad <sup>2</sup> sell (sell / buy) me a new laptop. I <sup>3</sup> uploaded (upload / download) some great music software from the Internet and I <sup>4</sup> decided (decide / forget) to make a website for my band. I'm not sure if I told you, but I <sup>5</sup> started (stop / start) a band. Nico and I <sup>6</sup> wrote (write / listen) some music together. Nico <sup>7</sup> chose (give / choose) the songs that we want to sing, but we still <sup>8</sup> haven't recorded (not film / not record) anything.

More soon!

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