Past or Present Perfect?

Quick rule box:

- **Simple past: an action finished at a definite time in the past (*yesterday*, *last week*, *in 2019*, *two days ago*).**
- **Present perfect: a past action connected to now, with no definite time (*already*, *yet*, *just*, *ever*, *never*, *so far*, *since*, *for*).**

Section A. Choose the correct option

1. We ___ to Mysuru last summer. (went / have gone)
2. I ___ never seen a snow-capped mountain. (did / have)
3. Ravi ___ his bicycle two days ago. (lost / has lost)
4. They ___ just reached the station. (have / has)
5. She ___ in Chennai since 2020. (lived / has lived)

Section B. Fill in the blank with the correct form of the verb

1. The teacher ___ (collect) our notebooks at 9 a.m. today.
2. I ___ (read) this book three times.
3. My cousin ___ (visit) us last Sunday.
4. ___ you ___ (finish) the worksheet yet?
5. Meera ___ (not eat) breakfast yet.

Section C. Match the clue with the tense

- yesterday → Simple past
- already → Present perfect
- in 2019 → Simple past
- so far → Present perfect

Section D. Find and correct the mistake

1. I have seen that film yesterday.
2. He lives here since 2015.
3. She has gone to the market an hour ago.

Section E. Reflect

Write two sentences about yourself: one in the simple past and one in the present perfect.

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