

FOR AND SINCE

For



since

*For + period of time

- for 20 minutes
- for three days
- for 6 months
- for 4 years
- for 2 centuries
- for a long time
- for ever
- for ages
- for a week
- for the last month
- for the last week

Since+ point of time

- since 9am
- since Monday
- since January
- since 1997
- since 1500
- since I left school
- since the beginning of time
- since last week
- since last month
- since 3 years ago

- We lived there for five years.
- He has lived in Bangkok for a long time.
- I have been here for twenty minutes.
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- We have taught at this school for a long time.
- Alice has been married for three months.
- They have been at the hotel for a week

- He has been away since Tuesday.
- He has been here since 9am.
- John hasn't called since February.
- He has worked in New York since he left school.
- She has lived here since 1980.
- We have taught at this school since 1965.
- Alice has been married since March 2nd.
- They have been at the hotel since last Tuesday.

SUNDAY

13

2010
2020

2019



December

25



SAT SUN
MON TUE
WED THU FRI



▼ last Sunday.

▼ ten years.

▼ 2019.

▼ he was seven.

▼ many hours.

▼ Christmas.

▼ eight o'clock.

▼ a long time

▼ a week

▼ my birthday.



▼ last winter.



▼ that day.



▼ four months.



▼ May.



▼ many years.



▼ she was born.



▼ fifty minutes a day



▼ my mum called.



▼ we got married.



▼ three weeks.

Choose since or for:



We have played golf two hours.



I've wanted to be a vet I was ten.



They have been friends a long time.



She hasn't drunk we got there.



Lots of things have happened then.



I have lived in Spain ten years.



My parents need the van two days.



I've known her she was born.



We have been busy morning.



He has worked here seven years.

Exercises: write for or since



I've had a headache last night.



The phone rang a few minutes.



I have been working ten hours.



We have been here six o'clock.



It has been raining Monday



The cat has slept ten hours



I will be in Paris two weeks.



I haven't eaten yesterday.



I study English an hour a day.



I've loved you ever I met you.