

PRESENT PERFECT

1 Complete the table with the Past Simple and the Past Participle form of the verb. Then finish the sentences – put the verbs in brackets into the Present Perfect tense.

1

INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
be	<i>was, were</i>	<i>been</i>
do	<i>did</i>	<i>done</i>
go	<i>went</i>	<i>gone</i>

- 1 Have you ever been to a waterpolo match?
- 2 Coach, I have done all the exercises. What's next?
- 3 Mary doesn't play for us any more – she has gone to another club.

2

INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
hit	<i>hit</i>	<i>hit</i>
let	<i>let</i>	<i>let</i>
put	<i>put</i>	<i>put</i>
read	<i>read</i>	<i>read</i>
set	<i>set</i>	<i>set</i>
shut	<i>shut</i>	<i>shut</i>

- 1 Unbelievable! He has just set another world record!
- 2 The defense is amazing! They haven't let the opponents come near the goal for 70 minutes straight!
- 3 The tennis player has just put on the bandage – it seems she has problems with her ankle.
- 4 Has dad already read the article about the latest chess tournament?
- 5 Mike has hit Boris so hard. Will this match end as a knockout?
- 6 The sports world has shut down because of the Corona virus.

3

INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
become	<i>became</i>	<i>become</i>
come	<i>came</i>	<i>come</i>
run	<i>ran</i>	<i>run</i>

- 1 My friend John has run the marathon three times so far.
- 2 Many people have already come to the stadium.
- 3 Modrić has become one of the most important footballers in the world.

4

INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
drive	<i>drove</i>	<i>driven</i>
give	<i>gave</i>	<i>given</i>
see	<i>saw</i>	<i>seen</i>
show	<i>showed</i>	<i>shown</i>
take	<i>took</i>	<i>taken</i>

- 1 He can't play anymore because the referee has shown him the red card.
- 2 He has never driven so fast in a race. Amazing!
- 3 Manchester United have given us a night to remember! Their playing is excellent!
- 4 Have you ever seen a better gymnastics floor routine?
- 5 And Modrić has taken the ball. Will he score?

5

INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
draw	<i>drew</i>	<i>drawn</i>
grow	<i>grew</i>	<i>grown</i>
know	<i>knew</i>	<i>known</i>
throw	<i>threw</i>	<i>thrown</i>

- 1 I **have grown** 10 centimetres since May.
- 2 Nobody **has thrown** javelin beyond 99 meters 1986.
- 3 Many fans **have drawn** pictures of Roger Federer.
- 4 Gareth Bale and Luka Modrić **have known** each other for a long time.

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INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
ride	<i>rode</i>	<i>ridden</i>
write	<i>wrote</i>	<i>written</i>

- 1 I **have never ridden** a horse in a race. I'd love to try it.
- 2 They **haven't written** an article about the latest archery tournament yet.

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INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
bring	<i>brought</i>	<i>brought</i>
buy	<i>bought</i>	<i>bought</i>
fight	<i>fought</i>	<i>fought</i>
catch	<i>caught</i>	<i>caught</i>
teach	<i>taught</i>	<i>taught</i>
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send	<i>sent</i>	<i>sent</i>
spend	<i>spent</i>	<i>spent</i>
meet	<i>met</i>	<i>met</i>
keep	<i>kept</i>	<i>kept</i>
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find	<i>found</i>	<i>found</i>
have	<i>had</i>	<i>had</i>
hear	<i>heard</i>	<i>heard</i>
learn	<i>learned / learnt</i>	<i>learned / learnt</i>
light	<i>lit</i>	<i>lit</i>
lose	<i>lost</i>	<i>lost</i>
make	<i>made</i>	<i>made</i>
win	<i>won</i>	<i>won</i>

* - namjerno ostavljeno prazno kako bi se naglasila sličnost grupiranih glagola

- 1 Rafael Nadal **has won** 20 Grand Slam Finals.
- 2 I **have never met** Michael Phelps. He is one of the greatest athletes of all time.
- 3 **Have you heard** of Pele, a famous footballer?
- 4 They **have spent** \$10,000 so far so that their son could train in a better gym. They **have bought** all the equipment.
- 5 I **have always had** good coaches. But this one **has taught** me so much! I **have even learnt** how to calm myself when I'm losing!
- 6 Many athletes **have lit** the Olympic flame up to now, but the best one happened in 1992. You have to see it! * The flame was lit by an archer.

- 7 He **has caught** the ball and now he's running for a touchdown!
 8 Khabib Nurmagomedov, a Russian wrestler, **has fought** in 28 fights so far and he **hasn't lost** a single one!
 9 Many athletes **have made** history, but I think Janica Kostelić was the best of them all.
 10 We don't have to rent the skates, we **have brought** our own.
 11 He **has sent** the ball over the fence, let's enjoy this home run!
 12 His mum **has kept** all the newspaper articles about him.
 13 We **have finally found** a good gym for our training sessions!

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INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
break	<i>broke</i>	<i>broken</i>
choose	<i>chose</i>	<i>chosen</i>
freeze	<i>froze</i>	<i>frozen</i>
speak	<i>spoke</i>	<i>spoken</i>
steal	<i>stole</i>	<i>stolen</i>

- 1 People can skate because the lake **has frozen**.
 2 I **have already spoken** about my training sessions.
 3 Someone **has stolen** my equipment! I can't go to the tournament now!
 4 The selector **has chosen** the best footballers for our national team.
 5 It seems that the skier **has broken** his leg in this fall!

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INFINITIVE	PAST SIMPLE	PAST PARTICIPLE
forget	<i>forgot</i>	<i>forgotten</i>
hide	<i>hid</i>	<i>hidden</i>

- 1 Where are you? **Have you forgotten** about the meeting?
 2 Sarah **has hidden** all the sports magazines only to make her brother angry!

2 Put the verbs into the Present Perfect tense and choose FOR or SINCE:

- 1 My parents **have lived** (live) in Zagreb **for / since** they got married.
 2 Alice **has been** (be) married **for / since** three months.
 3 Barbara **has grown** (grow) a lot **for / since** I last saw her.
 4 They **have been** (be) at the hotel **for / since** a week.
 5 I **have known** (know) him **for / since** kindergarten.
 6 She **hasn't had** a day off **for / since** three months.
 7 I **have lost** (lose) so much flexibility **for / since** I injured my leg.
 8 She **hasn't seen** (not see) her jacket **for / since** yesterday, I think she lost it.
 9 He **has loved** her **for/ since** 20 years.
 10 It **hasn't rained** **since/ for** we reopened the school.

3 Danny is preparing for his first tennis tournament. Write what he has already done and what he hasn't done yet. Use the Present Perfect and ALREADY or YET.

Choose clothes + pack tennis equipment x take school books x	prepare passport and plane ticket + book hotel + call friends x
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pack mobile phone charger +	talk to coach x
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Danny has **already** chosen the clothes.

He hasn't packed his tennis equipment **yet**.

He **hasn't taken** the school bus **yet**

He **has already packed** his mobile phone charger.

He **has already prepared** his passport and plane ticket.

He **has already booked** the hotel .

He **hasn't called** his friends **yet**.

He **hasn't talked** to his coach **yet**.

4 Fill in the sentences with the words in brackets using the Present Perfect tense.

1. My parents **have never flown** (never / fly) in a hot-air balloon.
2. **Have you ever caught** (you / ever / catch) a big fish?
3. I **have never heard** (never / hear) of Conor McGregor. Who is he? (*MMA fighter*)
4. **Has your dad ever ridden** (your dad / ever / ride) a camel?
5. **Have you ever run** (you / ever / run) the marathon?
6. My sister **has never written** (never / write) a novel, but she'd love to do it one day.
7. **Has your best friend ever found** (your best friend / ever / find) money on the street?
8. My best friend and I **have never argued** (never / argue).

5 Make sentences using the Present Perfect tense.

(+) = affirmative sentence: *I've flown in a plane.*

(-) = negative sentence: *I haven't flown in a plane.*

(?) – question: *Have you flown in a plane?*

1. Jim / study / for three hours. (+) **Jim has studied for three hours.**
2. we / go out / for ages. (-) **We haven't gone out for ages.**
3. Bob and Jack / play football / recently (?) **Have Bob and Jack played football recently?**
4. they / already / compete / in a race. (+) **They have already competed in a race.**
5. why / you / write / that (?) **Why have you written that?**
6. the student / break / her arm (+) **The student has broken her arm.**
7. Janet / give / me / the key (-) **Janet hasn't given me the key.**
8. the lake / freeze / since yesterday (+) **The lake has frozen since yesterday.**
9. she / forgive / you (?) **Has she forgiven you?**
10. I / make / the cake / yet (-) **I haven't made the cake yet.**

6 Are these sentences correct? Put a tick if they are. Correct those that are incorrect.

1. My sisters **has** watched some films recently. **have**
2. I have dreamed about this moment for ages. **correct**
3. I haven't **yet** done my homework. **I haven't done my homework yet.**

4. Has she eat her breakfast? eaten
5. The coach has took us to the stadium. taken
6. Have you forgotten about our meeting? correct
7. Have won you the game? Have you won
8. She have become a great sportsperson. has
9. I haven't saw them at all. seen
10. They have read this book since three hours. for