

# How well do you know present perfect simple and continuous?

## Task 1.

Put the words in the correct order:

1. been/ long/ have/ married/ how/ you/  
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2. the US/ have/ live/ wanted/ to/ always/ I/ in  
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3. so/ problems/not/ far/ there/ have/ any/ been  
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4. lost/ I/ passport/ have/ my/ think/ I  
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5. working/has/ for/ she/ been/ here/ 4 months  
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## Task 2.

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use present perfect simple or continuous.

1. Kate is on holiday. She ..... to Spain. (go)

2. How long ..... medicine? (study, you)

3. This is the first time I ..... such a fast car. (drive)

4. It ..... two years since we last saw each other. (be)

5. How long ..... your own company? (have)

6. Good to see you! What ..... since we last met? (do)

7. I ..... lunch today. (have, already)

8. He ..... in Paris for 4 days now. (be)

9. .... you ..... of changing your job? (think, ever)

10. This is the best octopus salad I ..... (eat, ever)

11. Our son ..... PlayStation ..... over 5 hours now! (play)
12. How long ..... for your guests? (wait)
13. I ..... anything since this morning. (do)
14. He ..... to fix this coffee machine for 2 hours now. (try)
15. Something smells nice! .....? (you, cook)

**Task 3.**

**Correct the mistake in each of the sentences:**

1. We've been living here since 5 years.  
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2. Have you ever try sushi?  
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3. I always wanted to visit New York.  
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4. Did he just left?  
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5. Too late! They already close the shop.  
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6. We didn't send the emails yet.  
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7. I am trying to fix it since 8 o'clock.  
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8. How long are you waiting for him?  
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9. She has never be here before.  
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10. It is raining for over 3 hours now.  
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If you got less than 70% correct then you should practise a little bit more!  
 Try to find some other present perfect exercises, there are plenty of them  
 on the internet. Or ask your teacher to give you some!