***Упражнение 1.****Complete the pairs of sentences. Use the Present Perfect in one sentence and the Past Simple in the other.*

1. I (know)  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her for six years.

I (know) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  him when I was at school.

1. He (live) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  in Paris from 1997 to 2000.

He (live) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  in New York since 2001.

1. Where's Pete? I (not see) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  him for ages.

I (not see) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Pete last night.

1. We (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  at primary school from 1993 to 1998.

We (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in this class since September.

1. I (not watch) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  this video yet.

I (not watch) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a video at the weekend.

***Упражнение 2.****Put the verbs in brackets in the Past Simple or in the Present Perfect.*

1.  I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (never/ be) to the USA. I \_\_\_\_\_\_ (want) to go there last summer but I couldn’t.

2.  He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (live) in this street all his life.

3.  His father \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (come back) to London last Sunday.

4.  Yan \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (write) a letter to Nick two days ago.

5.  He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (send) his letter yesterday.

6.  They  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  (just/ buy) some postcards.

***Упражнение 4.****Choose the correct option.*

1. She has /‘s had a moped since she was 15.
2. We took /‘ve taken a taxi to town that morning.
3. We played /'ve played volleyball last night
4. I'm really hungry. I didn’t eat / haven’t eaten since last night.
5. They visited/ ‘ve visited Colorado last summer.

***Упражнение 5.****Put the verbs in brackets in the Past Simple or in the Present Perfect.*

1. Maria (get) \_\_\_\_\_\_ some bad news last week. She (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_ sad since she (get) \_\_\_\_\_\_  the bad news.

2. I  (start) \_\_\_\_\_\_  school when I was five years old. I (be) \_\_\_\_\_  at school since I (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_  five years old.

3. I  (change) \_\_\_\_\_\_ my job three times this year.

4. I  (change) \_\_\_\_\_\_  my job three times last year.

5.  The weather was hot and dry for many weeks. But two days ago it (rain) \_\_\_\_\_\_.

6.  Tom (break) \_\_\_\_\_\_  his leg five days ago. He’s in hospital. He (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_  in hospital since he (break) \_\_\_\_\_\_  his leg.

7.  Are you going to finish your work before you go to bed? — I (finish) \_\_\_\_\_\_  it (already). I (finish) \_\_\_\_\_\_  my work two hours ago.

***Упражнение 6.****Put the verbs in brackets in the Past Simple or in the Present Perfect.*

1. I (have, just) \_\_\_\_\_\_   a nice pot of coffee. Would you like a cup?

2. I (see, not) \_\_\_\_\_\_   Steve this morning yet.

3.  Carol and I are old friends. I (know) \_\_\_\_\_\_   her since I (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_   a freshman inhigh school.

4.  Maria (have) \_\_\_\_\_\_   a lot of problems since she (come) \_\_\_\_\_\_   to this country.

5. I  (go) \_\_\_\_\_\_  to Paris in 2003 and 2006.

6.  A car came round the corner and I (jump) \_\_\_\_\_\_   out of the way.

7.  Don’t throw the paper away because I (not to read) \_\_\_\_\_\_   it yet.

8.  Is Jim going to eat lunch with us today? — No. He (eat) \_\_\_\_\_\_ (already).He (eat) \_\_\_\_\_lunch an hour ago.

9.  Since we (start) \_\_\_\_\_\_   doing this exercise, we (complete) \_\_\_\_\_\_  some sentences.

10. I (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_   never to Italy.

***Упражнение 7.****Put the verbs in brackets in the Past Simple or in the Present Perfect.*

1.  You (ever work) \_\_\_\_\_\_ in a shop?

2. I (work) \_\_\_\_\_\_ at my uncle’s shop when I was younger.

3.  It’s the first time I (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_ on a ship.

4.  Ann is looking for her key. She can’t find it. She (lose) \_\_\_\_\_\_ her key.

5.  How many symphonies Beethoven (compose) \_\_\_\_\_\_?

6.  Look! Somebody (spill) \_\_\_\_\_\_ ink on the notebook.

7.  You (have) \_\_\_\_\_\_ a holiday this year yet?

8.  You (see) \_\_\_\_\_\_ any good films recently?

9. He (have, not) \_\_\_\_\_\_ any problems since he (come ) \_\_\_\_\_\_ here.

***Упражнение 8.****Раскройте скобки, употребляя глаголы в Past Simple или Present Perfect*

1. I  (cut) \_\_\_\_\_\_ some flowers from my garden yesterday. I (cut) \_\_\_\_  lots of flowers from my garden so far this summer.

2. I  (not / see) \_\_\_\_\_\_  Tom lately.

3. The artist (draw) \_\_\_\_a picture of sunset yesterday. She (draw) \_\_\_\_ many pictures of sunsets in her lifetime.

4. I  (feed) \_\_\_\_\_\_ birds at the park yesterday. I (feed) \_\_\_\_\_\_  birds at the park every day since I (lose) \_\_\_\_\_\_  my job.

5. Ann (wake up) \_\_\_\_\_\_  late and (miss) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her breakfast on Monday.

6. I (forget) \_\_\_\_\_\_  to turn off the stove after dinner. I (forget) \_\_\_\_\_\_to turn off the stove a lot of times in my lifetime.

7.  The children (hide) \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the basement yesterday. They (hide) \_\_\_\_\_\_in the basement often since they (discover) \_\_\_\_\_\_  a secret place there.

8.  The baseball player (hit) \_\_\_\_\_\_ the ball out of the stadium yesterday. He (hit) \_\_\_\_\_\_ a lot of homeruns since he (join) \_\_\_\_\_\_  our team.

9.  We first (meet) \_\_\_\_\_\_ in 2001. So we (know) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_  each other for 8 years.

***Упражнение 9.****Put the verbs in brackets in the Past Simple or in the Present Perfect.*

1. She (change) \_\_\_\_\_\_  a lot since she left school.

2. I  (see) \_\_\_\_\_\_ this film and I don’t want to see it again.

3.  Jazz (originate) \_\_\_\_\_\_  in the United States around 1900.

4.  Tom Hanks  (win) \_\_\_\_\_\_  an Oscar several times already.

5.  Long ago, they (build) \_\_\_\_\_\_  most houses out of wood.

6.  Scientists still (not/find) \_\_\_\_\_\_  a cure for cancer.

7.  Sean (eat, never) \_\_\_\_\_\_  Chinese food before.

8.  In my first job, I (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_  responsible for marketing.

9.  The last job I (apply) \_\_\_\_\_\_ for required applicants to speak some Japanese.

10.  The first modern Olympics  (take) \_\_\_\_\_\_  place in Athens more than a hundred years ago.

11. I am writing in connection with the advertisement which (appear) \_\_\_\_\_\_  in December.

***Упражнение 10.****Complete the sentences. Use the Present Perfect or the Past Simple.*

My family and I (move) from London to Cardiff last summer, so we (live) in Cardiff for seven months now. I miss my friends in London. My best friend is called Megan. We (meet) at primary school, so I (know) her for nine years. Unfortunately, I (not see) her since last summer.

I go to Greystone Secondary School in Cardiff. I (be) at the school since last September. At first I (not like) it because I (not have) any friends here. But the students in my class are really nice and I'm happy here now.

***Упражнение 11.****Correct the mistakes in these sentences.*

1. We lived here since 1997.
2. I've been ill since two days.
3. How long do you know him?
4. Susie has seen a good film last night.
5. We've finished our homework just.
6. I've already wrote three letters.

***Упражнение 12.****Complete the sentences. Use the Present Perfect or the Past Simple.*

Helen:  That's a nice tennis racket. Is it new?

Andy: No, (I/have) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it for about a year, but ( I/not play) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with it very much. ( I/buy) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it in Florida.

Helen: When ( you/go) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to America?

Andy: ( I/go)  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there with my family in the spring.

Helen: What was it like?

Andy: Great! (I/stay) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with my penfriend.

Helen: Is your penfriend American?

Andy: Yes. ( I/have) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an American penfriend for two years. (he/come) \_\_\_\_\_\_to England last summer.

Helen: (I/not meet)  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him.

Andу: No, (you/be) \_\_\_\_\_\_ on holiday in Turkey.

***Упражнение 13.****Choose the correct form of the verb.*

1. We went/ ‘ve been to the seaside last summer.
2. I finished / ‘ve finished my homework. Can I go out now?
3. I was /‘ve been ill three month ago.
4. Have you been / Did you to the shop? I need some stamps.
5. My hobby is fishing. I’ve caught / caught a lot of fish.
6. Jenny is in Oxford today, but she was /has been in London yesterday.
7. I played /'ve played basketball when I was younger, but l don’t play now.
8. I’ve already seen / already saw 'Shrek'.
9. Julie has been / was ill since Tuesday.
10. I didn't see / haven't seen Josh since 1998.
11. We've stayed / stayed at our grandparents for three days. We arrived home yesterday.
12. The dog went / has gone to sleep an hour ago.
13. I had / ‘ve had a cat for two years. It’s  name is Willis.
14. I’ve waited / waited for a bus for twenty minutes. Then I decided to walk.

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