

Grammar 1

Present perfect

affirmative	negative	question
l / You have	l / You haven't	Have I / you
tried	tried	tried?
He / She / It	He / She / It	Has he / she / it
has tried	hasn't tried	tried?
We / You / They	We / You / They	Have we / you
have tried	haven't tried	/ they tried?

1 Complete the table with the correct form of the irregular verbs.

infinitive	past simple	past participle
be	(1) <u>Was</u>	been
break	(2)	broken
come	came	(3)
drive	drove	(4)
eat	(5)	eaten
fly	flew	(6)
forget	forgot	(7)
give	(8)	given
wear	(9)	worn
write	wrote	(10)

2 Order the words to make sentences.

I / done / homework / have / all / my . I have done all my homework.

- 1 brother / bungee / not / tried / My / has /
 jumping .
- 2 her / leg / She / broken / has .
- 3 studied / have / since / English / 2011 / They .

3 Write the contracted form of the verbs in exercise 2.

<u>l've done</u>

1 My brother has not tried

Photocopy me!

2 She has broken

I have done

3 They have studied

Present perfect with time expressions



for and since

We use *for* to talk about a period of time which started in the past and continues now.

I have studied English for two years. (I study English now.)

We use *since* to talk about a point / date in time which started in the past and continues now.

I have lived in Madrid since 2014. (I live in Madrid now.)

4 Complete the sentences with *for* or *since*.

She has lived in New York <u>Since</u> 2013.

- 1 He has studied maths _____ five years!
- **2** They have loved skiing _____ last winter.
- 3 I have done karate _____ I was six.
- 4 He has competed in BMX competitions_____ a long time.
- **5** Circle the correct words.

Fernando Alonso has (1) **already**/ **yet** won the World Championships twice. He has (2) **already** / **just** been a Formula One driver for years, and he drives for Ferrari. He hasn't won a race with Ferrari (3) **yet** / **already**, but we hope he will!

