



### Present perfect

**1** Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 My mum \_\_\_\_\_ (work) in the same company for twenty years.
- 2 Our family \_\_\_\_\_ (move) house twice in the last year.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ (your aunt and uncle, visit) your new house?
- 4 I \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) been to the shopping centre.
- 5 We \_\_\_\_\_ (start) at a new school recently.
- 6 My brother \_\_\_\_\_ (not make) any friends at his new school.
- 7 \_\_\_\_\_ (you, watch) a football match in the stadium?
- 8 We \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) the local team play football.

**2** Choose the best answers to complete the sentences.

- 1 I *hadn't / haven't had* time to see Sandra this week.
- 2 *Did Alex invite / Has Alex invited* you to his party yesterday?
- 3 Tina *opened / has opened* a new shop in town recently.
- 4 *Amy didn't buy / hasn't bought* any clothes for a long time.
- 5 My half-sister *introduced / has introduced* our parents to her boyfriend last week.
- 6 We *saw / haven't seen* John for a long time.
- 7 When *did your sister-in-law stay / has your sister-in-law stayed* here last?
- 8 I *forgot / have forgotten* to answer your email last Friday.

### Present perfect and time words

**3** Choose the best answers to complete the sentences.

- 1 Has he finished studying for the exam \_\_\_\_?  
a just                      b yet                      c for
- 2 I have \_\_\_\_ seen Brad Pitt!  
a just                      b ever                      c since
- 3 We have studied English \_\_\_\_ we started school.  
a just                      b since                      c for
- 4 My mother has been on holiday \_\_\_\_ two weeks now.  
a ever                      b just                      c for
- 5 Has he \_\_\_\_ travelled abroad?  
a just                      b already                      c ever
- 6 'Tidy your room.' 'I have \_\_\_\_ tidied it.'  
a just                      b yet                      c for

### Past perfect

**4** Complete the sentences with the past perfect form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 She bought the car after she \_\_\_\_\_ (pass) her driving test.
- 2 My parents \_\_\_\_\_ (not hear) the news before I got home.
- 3 My stepbrother \_\_\_\_\_ (not eat) anything before going to karate.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ (Carol, try) making the cake before the day of the party?
- 5 My friends arrived at the cinema after I \_\_\_\_\_ (leave).
- 6 We didn't have dinner until we \_\_\_\_\_ (tidy) the kitchen.
- 7 We couldn't finish our project until Rita \_\_\_\_\_ (write) the last part.
- 8 We \_\_\_\_\_ (not spend) so much time at my grandparents' house before.

**5** Choose the best answers to complete the sentences.

- 1 We *finished / had finished* eating our lunch when the police *came / had come* to our house.
- 2 I *didn't hear / hadn't heard* the news until you *told / had told* me.
- 3 I *wanted / had wanted* some juice but my sister *drank / had drunk* it all.
- 4 They *played / had played* basketball after they *bought / had bought* a new basketball.
- 5 Who *came / had come* to the party after I *left / had left*?
- 6 Ali *didn't go / hadn't been* on a plane until her school trip to Venice.
- 7 He *heard / had heard* his phone ringing after Dave *called / had called* him three times.
- 8 The tablet *broke / had broken* after I *used / had used* it three times.

**6** Choose the best answers to complete the text.

Jill **1** *always loved / had always loved* the idea of travelling. She **2** *didn't leave / hadn't left* her own country before. She **3** *went / had gone* to the Canary Islands on her first trip abroad. She **4** *felt / had felt* excited for weeks before getting on the plane.

At last, the day **5** *came / has come* for her to go away. She **6** *packed / has packed* her bags the night before the trip. She **7** *enjoyed / has enjoyed* flying. She **8** *was / had been* amazed by the desert scenery. She **9** *didn't forget / hasn't forgotten* how she felt when she arrived. Since that trip she **10** *didn't stop / hasn't stopped* travelling.