



**PRESENT PERFECT
OR PRESENT
PERFECT
CONTINUOUS**

ИЗУЧИМ ИНФОРМАЦИЮ ПЕРЕД ТЕСТОМ



Категория настоящего времени в английском языке насчитывает 4 грамматических времени - Present Simple Tense, Present Continuous Tense, Present Perfect Tense и Present Perfect Continuous. Предлагаем вам пройти простой тест на знание последних двух из упомянутых времен.

Основное различие между этими временами заключается в том, завершилось ли действие или длилось. В Present Perfect действие завершилось, переводится на русский язык глаголом

ПРОШЕДШЕГО времени совершенного вида (что сделал?)

В Present Perfect Continuous действие ДЛИЛОСЬ в течение определенного времени и, возможно, продолжается до сих пор, возможно, только что завершилось, но всегда есть указание на то, что действие ПРОДОЛЖАЛОСЬ В ТЕЧЕНИЕ ОПРЕДЕЛЕННОГО ВРЕМЕНИ — есть предлоги since или for. На русский язык переводится глаголом настоящего времени (что делаю?)

Исключение составляют глаголы BE, HAVE, KNOW — они не употребляются в Present Perfect Continuous, поэтому предложения типа «я знаю ее много лет» / «у меня эта машина уже три года» переводятся при помощи Present Perfect: «I have known her for many years» / «I have had this car for three years»

Глагол LIVE также рекомендуется употреблять в Present Perfect: I have lived in this city since my childhood.

TEST

Present Perfect or Present Perfect Continuous

1. Tom's hands are very dirty. He ... his bicycle since morning.

- a) has repaired
- b) has been repairing

2. Tom's bicycle is OK again now. He ... it.

- a) has repaired
- b) has been repairing

3. They ... about it for a long time.

- a) have known
- b) have been knowing

4. How long ... you ... your work?

- a) have ... been doing
- b) have ... done

5. Jane is still writing her composition. She ... it all day.

- a) has been writing
- b) has written

7. - Is it still snowing? - No, it ...

- a) has stopped
- b) has been stopping

8. - How long ... you ... the story? - All day.

- a) have ... been reading
- b) have ... read

9. Tom and John ... in the park since 12 o'clock.

- a) have been playing
- b) had played

10. Look! Somebody ... that window!

- a) has broken
- b) has been breaking

Present Perfect Continuous is also used for:

- An action which started in the past and lasted for some time. It may be continuing or has finished already with the result visible in the present.

His clothes are dirty because **he's been repairing** his car.

- To express anger, irritation or annoyance

I don't believe it! Sarah **has been using** my perfume again.

Form

- We form the **Present Perfect Continuous** with
the subject + **have/has** + **been** + **V**
ing

We have been working

GRAMMAR PRACTICE

Exercise on Present Perfect Progressive

Have or Has?

Decide whether to use **“have”** or **“has”**

- She ... been asking questions all day long.
- They ... been climbing the mountain.
- We ... been washing the dishes.
- You ... been repairing your computer.
- I ... been working.
- It ... been snowing.
- The boy ... been playing.
- Caty ... been dreaming.
- The men ... been digging a hole.
- Cindy and Bob ... been studying English.



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I	have		
You	have		
He	has	been	working.
She	has		
It	has		
We	have		
They	have		

I	have			
You	have			
He	has	not	been	working.
She	has			
It	has			
We	have			
They	have			

Have	I		
Have	you		
Has	he	been	working?
Has	she		
Has	it		
Have	we		
Have	they		

Yes,		No,		
I	have.	I	have	not.
you	have.	you	have	
he	has.	he	has	
she	has.	she	has	
it	has.	it	has	
we	have.	we	have	
they	have.	they	have	

- **Study the boxes above. Then, complete the sentences below.**

1. My cat has been (sleep) sleeping all day.
2. A: _____ Jim _____ (do) _____ exercise?
B: Yes, he _____. He needs a rest.
3. It _____ (rain) _____ for several days.
4. I failed the test because I _____ not _____ (study) _____ hard.
5. We _____ (drive) _____ for two hours.
6. Tracy and Tom _____ (play) _____ tennis for an hour.
7. A: I'm sorry I'm late. _____ you _____ (wait) _____ a long time?
B: No, I _____.
8. Where _____ you _____ (spend) _____ your summer holidays?
9. Who _____ (eat) _____ my cookies?
10. A: You look tired. _____ you _____ (work) _____ hard?
B: Yes, I _____.
11. I _____ (think) _____ about quitting my job.
12. Why _____ you _____ (get) _____ up so early recently?



GRAMMAR PRACTICE

Make sentences in the *Present Perfect Continuous* tense.

1. It _____ (rain) since yesterday.
2. I _____ this laptop for three years. (use)
3. The girl _____ her lessons since morning. (learn)
4. 'You look tired.' 'Yes, I _____' (run)
5. Who _____ in my bed? (sleep)

Make the sentences, use Present Perfect Progressive :

- been, have, sleeping, children, 11 o'clock, since.
- For, what, you, been, all this time, have, doing?
- I, reading, the book, three, for, been, have, hours.
- painting, for, two, he, has, already, been, hours.
- We, your, since, sister, have, morning, been, for, waiting.
- She, looking, her shoes, half an hour, for,

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- 1. I'm exhausted. I _____ (study) in the library all day.
- 2. It _____ (snow) a lot this week.
- 3. your brother and sister been getting along?
- 4. How long _____ (you/teach) German?
- 5. We _____ (watch) TV for 3 hours.
- 6. You _____ (work) too hard today.

Exercise : Present Perfect Continuous Tense

1. We (wait) _____ here for over half an hour.
2. He (run) _____ from table to table taking orders and serving food.
3. We (study) _____ since 9 o'clock.
4. How long (you, learn) _____ English? .
5. She (take) _____ French lessons lately.
6. We (not, exercise) _____ enough.
7. I (cook) _____ so I'm feeling really hot.
8. She (go) _____ to the cinema every weekend for years.

Упражнение 2. Раскройте скобки, предварительно поставив глаголы в форму Present Perfect Continuous.

1

Olga: Rose! What are you doing here? I _____ (wait) for you for hours!

Rose: I'm sorry, Olga. I _____ (try on) these clothes for two hours. And I haven't decided yet.

2

Greg: Molly! Call our waiter again!

Molly: I _____ (try) to call him.

Greg: Molly! We _____ (sit) here for twenty-five minutes... and I'm not going to wait any more!

Molly: I'm sorry, dear... but he's again talking to that nice girl.

Greg: Yes, he _____ (talk) to her since we came in.

Molly: Waiter!

Waiter: Yes, ma'am ... Do you want the bill?

Molly: The bill! We haven't even got the menu yet!

Раскрой скобки, используя Present Perfect Progressive:

1. My grandfather (to work) in the garden since he retired.
2. I (to use) this cream since I discovered it.
3. She (to sell) fruit and vegetables for five years.
4. The factory (to produce) these trainers for two years.
5. My mum (to eat) low-calorie foods for six months.
6. My sister (to do) aerobics since last year.
7. I (not to eat) a fried meal since I began to follow a diet.
8. Mary (to use) this toothpaste for a long time.
9. His grandmother (not to smoke) since he visited his heart doctor.
10. She (not to drink) strong tea for many years.

Study the boxes above. Then, complete the sentences below.

1. She _____ (watch) too much television lately.
2. What _____ you _____ (do)?
3. Mary _____ (feel) a little depressed.
4. It _____ (wait) for two hours.
5. She _____ (listen) to music for two hours.
6. _____ she _____ (write) the report since 7th August 2011?
7. I _____ (meet) him since 2009.
8. They _____ (complete) their work since Monday.
9. Kids _____ (play) games for five hours.
10. They _____ (come) to office since January 2012.

Thank you for attention

