

# Welcome to Fairweather English: worksheets in English

## Present perfect grammar worksheets

### To make the positive present perfect tense:

• Use 'have' / 'has' + the past participle.

• Make the past participle by adding 'ed' to regular verbs (for example, 'play' becomes 'played').

There are a few verbs that change their spelling when you add 'ed' (for example, 'study' becomes

'studied').

We also have some completely irregular verbs.

### Positive Positive Short Form

- I have played • I've played
- You have worked • You've worked
- He has written • He's written
- She has walked • She's walked
- It has rained • It's rained
- We have travelled • We've travelled
- They have studied • They've studied

The negative is really simple too. Just put 'not' after 'have' or 'has':

### Negative Negative Short Form

- I have not eaten breakfast today • I haven't eaten
- You have not been to Asia • You haven't been
- He has not seen the new film • He hasn't seen
- She has not played tennis • She hasn't played
- It has not snowed this winter • It hasn't snowed
- We have not slept all night • We haven't slept

**• They have not tried the food • They haven't tried**

**To make a question, put 'have' or 'has' in front of the subject:**

**'Yes / No' Questions**

- Have I missed the bus?
- Have you visited London?
- Has he worked as a waiter before?
- Has she met John?
- Has it been cold this week?
- Have we arrived too early?
- Have they studied English grammar before?

**As you can imagine, for 'wh' questions, we just put the question word before 'have' or 'has':**

**'Wh' Questions**

- Where have I left my umbrella?
- What have you done today?
- Why has he gone already?
- Where has she been in the UK?
- Why has it rained so much this summer?
- What have we done?
- Where have they learned English before?

Make the present perfect: positive, negative or question.

1. (I / keep a pet for three years)

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2. (you / been here before?)

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3. (it / rain all day?)

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4. (who / we / forget to call?)

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5. (we / not / hear from him lately)

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6. (he / not / forget his pens)

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7. (she / steal all the candy!)

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8. (I / explain it enough?)

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9. (who / she / meet recently?)

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10. (how / we / finish this project already?)

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11. (he / study French)

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12. (I / know him for three years)

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13. (where / you / study Latin?)

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14. (what countries / they / visit in Asia?)

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15. (he / hurt his arm)

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16. (she / leave her phone in the car)

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17. (we / not / lose our bags)

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18. (she / call her sister?)

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19. (he / take a train?)

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20. (she / go / to the store)

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Answers:

1. I have kept a pet for three years.
2. Have you been here before?
3. Has it rained all day?
4. Who have we forgotten to call?
5. We haven't heard from him lately.
6. He hasn't forgotten his pens.
7. She has stolen all the candy!
8. Have I explained it enough?
9. Who has he met recently?
10. How have we finished this project already?
11. He has studied French.
12. I have known him for three years.
13. Where have you studied Latin?
14. What countries have they visited in Asia?
15. He has hurt his arm.
16. She has left her phone in the car.
17. We haven't lost our bags.
18. Has she called her sister?
19. Has he taken a train?
20. She has gone to the store.

