Simple past und present perfect – Bildung und Verwendung

EXERCISE 1 Simple past oder present perfect? Kreuze an.

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<td>b) Who broke the window?</td>
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<td>c) When did you get home?</td>
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<td>d) I washed my jacket.</td>
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<td>e) Jake has found your keys.</td>
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<td>f) Why didn’t you call me?</td>
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<td>g) Sarah couldn’t help me.</td>
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<td>h) Have you completed the exercise?</td>
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<td>i) Where have you been?</td>
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<td>j) I haven’t the book.</td>
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EXERCISE 2 Bilde das simple past dieser regelmäßigen Verben. Achte auf die Schreibregeln.

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EXERCISE 3 Was oder were? Setze ein.

a) When I ____________ a kid, I ____________ scared of the dark.
b) They ______________ here.
c) Mr Miller ________________ a teacher.
d) We ______________ very happy.
e) Sally, where ________________ you last night?
f) She ______________ sad.

EXERCISE 4 Setze die richtige Form im simple past ein. Achtung: Es kommen auch unregelmäßige Verben und Verneinungen vor!

a) Yesterday I _________________ (meet) Jim at the store.
b) When we ________________ (be) children, he ________________ (not like) dogs.
c) We _______________ (go) to the sea. There we ______________ (see) a baby seal.
d) I ________________ (cannot) do my homework. I ________________ (not have) time.
f) Sue ________________ (hear) a strange noise in the dark. But she ________________ (not be) afraid.
g) Sam ________________ (take) me to school in his car, but he ________________ (not pick) me up.
h) The nice woman ________________ (call) my parents. I ________________ (be) so happy to see them again when they ________________ (arrive).
EXERCISE 5 Setze die richtige Form im present perfect ein.

a) Susan _______________ (not open) the window.

b) We _______________ (visit) our grandma.

c) The policemen _______________ (find) the thief.

d) Tom _______________ (not see) the new car yet.

e) I _______________ (read) your letter.

f) _______________ you _______________ (do) your homework?

g) They _______________ (hear) her voice.

h) The boy _______________ (break) his leg.

i) The men _______________ (take) him to the hospital.

j) My mum _______________ (not lock) the door.

k) My brothers _______________ (not play) with their new x-Box yet.

EXERCISE 6 Welche Signalwörter stehen für das simple past, welche für das present perfect? Unterstreiche in verschiedenen Farben.

yesterday – never – ever – yet – a week ago – last year – just – when I was young – since – for – already

EXERCISE 7 Simple past oder present perfect? Setze die richtige Zeit ein und unterstreiche das Signalwort.

a) Yesterday we _______________ (buy) tomatoes at the supermarket.

b) _______________ you ever _______________ (be) to New York? – No, I _______________.

c) Why _______________ you _______________ (leave) so early last night? – I _______________ (not like) the music.

d) Jane _______________ (move) to France last year.

e) She _______________ (live) in France for a year now.

f) This parcel _______________ just _______________ (arrive).

g) I _______________ (not open) the parcel yet.

h) When I _______________ (be) a child, I _______________ (live) in a small village.

i) _______________ (you, ever, eat) Sushi? – No, I _______________ (not, try) it yet.

j) _______________ (you, write) a classtest last week? – Yes, we _______________. The test _______________ (be) really difficult.

k) Would you like a piece of cake? – No thanks. I _______________ (just, eat), so I’m not hungry right now.

l) I can’t help you in the kitchen, Mum. I _______________ (not finish) my homework yet!

m) He _______________ (start) to learn Chinese a year ago.
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EXERCISE 1 simple past: a, b, c, d, f, g; present perfect: e, h, i, j

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a) When I was a kid, I was scared of the dark.
b) They were here.
c) Mr Miller was a teacher.
d) We were very happy.
e) Sally, where were you last night?
f) She was sad.

EXERCISE 4 a) Yesterday I met Jim at the store.
b) When we were children, he didn’t like dogs.
c) We went to the sea. There we saw a baby seal.
d) I couldn’t do my homework. I didn’t have time.
f) Sue heard a strange noise in the dark. But she wasn’t afraid.
g) Sam took me to school in his car, but he didn’t pick me up.
h) The nice woman called my parents. I was so happy to see them again when they arrived.

EXERCISE 5 a) Susan hasn’t opened the window.
b) We have visited our grandma.
c) The policemen have found the thief.
d) Tom hasn’t seen the new car yet.
e) I have read your letter.
f) Have you done your homework?
g) They have heard her voice.
h) The boy has broken his leg.
i) The men have taken him to the hospital.
j) My mum hasn’t locked the door.
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EXERCISE 6 simple past: yesterday, a week ago, last year, when I was young
present perfect: never, ever, yet, just, since, for, already

EXERCISE 7 a) Yesterday we bought some tomatoes at the supermarket.
b) Have you ever been to New York? – No, I haven’t.
c) Why did you leave so early last night? – I didn’t like the music.
d) Jane moved to France last year.
e) She has lived in France for a year now.
f) This parcel has just arrived.
g) I haven’t opened the parcel yet.
h) When I was a child, I lived in a small village.
i) Have you ever eaten Sushi? – No, I haven’t tried it yet.
j) Did you write a class test last week? – Yes, we did. The test was really difficult.
k) Would you like a piece of cake? – No thanks. I have just eaten, so I’m not hungry right now.
l) I can’t help you in the kitchen, Mum. I haven’t finished my homework yet!
m) He started to learn Chinese a year ago.