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## Present Perfect



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**S + have/has + V3**

**S + have/has + been + V-ing**

**Finished actions**

E.g. The kids have played for 2 hours

**Unfinished actions**

E.g. The kids have been playing since morning.

**Permanent actions**

E.g. I have taught English for 12 years.

**Temporary actions**

E.g. I have been teaching this class for one hour.

**Emphasize the result of the action**

E.g. He has repaired the car.

**Emphasize the duration of the action**

E.g. He has been repairing the car for 2 hours.

**Indicate how much/how many**

E.g. It has taken six years to write this book.

**Indicate how much/how many in an ongoing process**

E.g. He has been studying English for two months.

