

# Present Perfect Continuous Tense

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

They have been learning English for 2 years.

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**S + have/has + not + been + V-ing**

They have not been learning English for 2 years.

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

Have they been learning English for 2 years?

## Usage

Express long actions that started in the past and continue until now

Express recent actions that have clear evidence or results now

Typically used for shorter, more temporary situations

## Example

I've been living in Ireland for almost 4 years.

Her eyes are red because she's been crying all evening.

Have they been learning English this week?