ESERCIZI DI RECUPERO

**1** Inserisci le espressioni di tempo nella colonna corretta della tabella.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Past simple</th>
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<td>for two hours</td>
<td>at nine o’clock</td>
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<td>since half past five</td>
<td>three days ago</td>
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<td>for two days</td>
<td>last Christmas</td>
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<td>since my birthday</td>
<td>last year</td>
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<td>for a long time</td>
<td>five minutes ago</td>
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<td>in 2007</td>
<td>since 1987</td>
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<td>yesterday</td>
<td>last night</td>
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<td>for ages</td>
<td>since February</td>
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<td>last summer</td>
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<td>since we were at school</td>
<td>the day before yesterday</td>
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**2** Leggi con attenzione le frasi (1-10). Poi scrivi *Past simple* se viene data indicazione su quando è avvenuta l’azione o *Present perfect* se non vi è una chiara indicazione di tempo.

1. Has someone taken my mobile phone?
   ______________________
2. We went to the cinema last night.
   ______________________
3. Has the plane arrived?
   ______________________
4. Helen started her Chinese course two months ago.
   ______________________
5. Angelina Jolie has acted in a lot of films.
   ______________________
6. What time did you arrive at school yesterday?
   ______________________
7. I received a text message from Walter this morning.
   ______________________
8. Laura and Charles fell in love while they were at university.
   ______________________
9. Have you had lunch?
   ______________________
10. You look great! Where have you been?
    ______________________

**3** Sottolinea l’alternativa corretta.

1. I have visited / visited London many times.
   1. **A** I have visited London many times.
   2. **B** I have visited London many time.

2. We have seen / saw Jack five minutes ago.
   1. **A** We have seen Jack five minutes ago.
   2. **B** We have seen Jack five minutes ago.

3. Liz has done / did a lot of work since this morning.
   1. **A** Liz has done a lot of work since this morning.
   2. **B** Liz has done a lot of work since this morning.


5. I have seen / saw this film three times.
   1. **A** I have seen this film three times.
   2. **B** I have seen this film three times.

6. Where did you go / have you gone on Saturday night?
   1. **A** Where did you go on Saturday night?
   2. **B** Where have you gone on Saturday night?

7. We started / have started our summer holidays three days ago.
   1. **A** We started our summer holidays three days ago.
   2. **B** We have started our summer holidays three days ago.

8. What time did Rob finish / has Rob finished work yesterday?
   1. **A** What time did Rob finish work yesterday?
   2. **B** What time has Rob finished work yesterday?

9. Sandra has talked / talked to her boyfriend ten times since 2 o’clock.
   1. **A** Sandra has talked to her boyfriend ten times since 2 o’clock.
   2. **B** Sandra talked to her boyfriend ten times since 2 o’clock.

10. I have attended / attended this school since I moved here.
    1. **A** I have attended this school since I moved here.
    2. **B** I attended this school since I moved here.

**4** Completa le frasi con il *Past simple* o il *Present perfect* dei verbi dati tra parentesi. Fai attenzione alle espressioni di tempo.

1. We ________ (spend) our holidays in Canada last summer.
2. I ________ (not talk) to Karl for ages.
3. Jane ________ (be) at the library since nine o’clock this morning.
4. We ________ (go) to a very good Italian restaurant yesterday.
5. Laura ________ (not buy) a new dress for years.
6. We ________ (not go) out last night.
8. Ron ________ (be) in hospital for three weeks.
9. I ________ (not see) Anne and Chris since they moved to Bristol.
10. My friends ________ (arrive) two hours ago.

**5** Completa il testo usando il *Present perfect* o il *Past simple* dei verbi tra parentesi. Aiutati con le espressioni di tempo.

I ________ never ________ (stay up) late at night in my life. Maybe, only once. Last New Year’s Eve I ________ (go) to bed at half past twelve. I ________ never ________ (be) away from my hometown for more than two days, but I ________ (travel) abroad.

Last year I ________ (go) to Paris by train. I ________ (leave) in the morning and ________ (get) back home for dinner! Some people say that my life’s boring, but I don’t agree. I ________ (make) a lot of friends since I ________ (move) here in 1985.
**6** Completa le frasi usando le parole tra parentesi e il Past simple o il Present perfect di uno dei verbi dati.

- be • arrive • buy • go • visit • live
- know • write • study • wait

1. ________ (you) in this house for a long time?
2. I ________ a new pair of trainers yesterday.
3. What time ________ (the train) at the station?
4. Pauline ________ London last weekend.
5. France ________ a republic for a long time.
6. When ________ (you / last) to the theatre?
7. Jack ________ Moira for two years.
8. We ________ for our friends since half past three.
9. Lucy ________ Maths for three hours.
10. I ________ ten emails since this morning.

**7** Completa i dialoghi (A-C) usando le informazioni nella tabella e il Present perfect o il Past simple dei verbi tra parentesi.

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<tr>
<td>Janet</td>
<td>Germany</td>
<td>x</td>
<td>2009</td>
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<tr>
<td>Rakesh</td>
<td></td>
<td>India</td>
<td>2008</td>
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<tr>
<td>Neil</td>
<td>Greece</td>
<td>x</td>
<td>2010</td>
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**A**

Michael: Janet, ________ you ever ________ (spend) a holiday in a European country?
Janet: 2 ________. I 3 ________ (go) to Germany in 2009.
Michael: How 4 ________ you ________ (travel) there?
Janet: I 5 ________ (drive).
Michael: And 6 ________ you ever ________ (visit) a country outside Europe?
Janet: 7 ________ .

**B**

Michael: Rakesh, 8 ________ you ever ________ (have) a holiday in a European country?
Rakesh: 9 ________ .
Michael: And 10 ________ you ever ________ (travel) outside Europe?
Rakesh: 11 ________. I 12 ________ (be) to India.
Michael: When 13 ________ you ________ (go)?
Rakesh: I 14 ________ (fly) there in 2008.

**C**

Michael: Neil, 15 ________ you ever ________ (visit) a European country?
Neil: 16 ________. I 17 ________ (spend) my summer holidays in Greece in 2010.
Michael: 18 ________. You ________ (go) on your own?
Neil: No, my wife 19 ________ (come) with me.
Michael: And 20 ________ you ever ________ (spend) a holiday outside Europe?
Neil: 21 ________ .

**8** TRANSLATION Traduci.

1. Perché non siete venuti alla festa di Paul la settimana scorsa?

2. Ha fatto molto freddo da Natale.

3. Studi inglese da molto tempo?

4. Jerry ha invitato Anne a uscire ieri sera e poi non si è presentato all'appuntamento.

5. Sabato scorso mio fratello è tornato a casa alle quattro di mattina.

6. Da quanto tempo sono sposati i tuoi genitori?

7. Il dottor Smith è il nostro medico di famiglia da 20 anni.

8. Giulia abita a Boston da quando si è trasferita lì per studiare inglese.

9. George e Karin si sono lasciati la settimana scorsa.

10. Ho incontrato un ragazzo molto simpatico in biblioteca ieri.