



PAST SIMPLE VS PRESENT PERFECT

A. Are the underlined parts of these sentences right or wrong? Correct the wrong ones.

1. I **have seen** that movie yesterday. _____
2. They have just finished their homework. _____
3. She **didn't eat** breakfast this morning. _____
4. We **have gone** to the museum last weekend. _____
5. He **has been** to France three times. _____
6. You **did call** me yesterday, didn't you? _____
7. They **haven't started** the meeting yet. _____
8. I **saw** him two days ago. _____
9. She **has already cooked** dinner when I arrived. _____
10. We **visited** our grandparents last summer. _____
11. I **have finished** my homework last night. _____
12. She **has been reading** that book yesterday. _____
13. They **have gone** to the party last Saturday. _____
14. He **has met** her in 2015. _____
15. We **haven't been** to the new restaurant last week. _____

B. Write sentences about yourself using the ideas in parentheses.

1. (something you have never done) _____
2. (something you have just finished doing) _____
3. (a place you have visited recently) _____
4. (a movie you have watched recently) _____
5. (something you have already done today) _____
6. (something you haven't done today) _____
7. (something you did last night) _____
8. (something you haven't done recently) _____
9. (something you did last weekend) _____
10. (a new skill you have learned) _____
11. (a book you have recently read) _____
12. (a friend you have met recently) _____

Teacher's Key

1. I **have seen** that movie yesterday.
Correction: I **saw** that movie yesterday.
2. They have just finished their homework.
Correct
3. She **didn't eat** breakfast this morning.
Correction: She **hasn't eaten** breakfast this morning.
4. We **have gone** to the museum last weekend.
Correction: We **went** to the museum last weekend.
5. He **has been** to France three times.
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6. You **did call** me yesterday, didn't you?
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7. They **haven't started** the meeting yet.
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8. I **saw** him two days ago.
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9. She **has already cooked** dinner when I arrived.
Correction: She **had already cooked** dinner when I arrived.
10. We **visited** our grandparents last summer.
Correct
11. I **have finished** my homework last night.
Correction: I **finished** my homework last night.
12. She **has been reading** that book yesterday.
Correction: She **was reading** that book yesterday.
13. They **have gone** to the party last Saturday.
Correction: They **went** to the party last Saturday.
14. He **has met** her in 2015.
Correction: He **met** her in 2015.
15. We **haven't been** to the new restaurant last week.
Correction: We **didn't go** to the new restaurant last week.