

Present Perfect tense :

Form of the present perfect tense:

Have/ has + past participle of the main verb.

Negative:

Have/Has + not+ past participle of the main verb.

Question:

Have/Has + subject+ past participle of the main verb.

Uses of the present perfect tense:

- Life experiences (no specific time): to talk about things we have done at any time in our life. Examples:

I have visited Spain.

She has never tried Sushi.

We do not say 'I have visited Spain last year' (if we mention a specific time, then we should use the past simple).

- Recent actions (results now): something happened a short time ago and the result is still important now. Examples:

I have lost my keys. (I still cannot find them)

She has just finished her homework.

Common words: just, already, yet.

- Unfinished time period: to talk about actions in a time period that is not finished (today, this week, this month, this year).

Examples:

I have studies three new words today.

She has visited the gym this week.