

Present perfect tense

A) Choose the correct form.

- A: 1 Greg lately?
B: No, I 2 I 3 to him
at the airport two weeks ago.
But I 4 him since then.
A: Where 5 ?
B: He 6 to Greece for a holiday.
A: I 7 Greece three times. I love
Greece.
B: Really? My wife and I 8 a week in
Turkey in 1996, but I 9 Greece.
By the way, 10 back yet?
A: Yes, he 11 I 12 him
yesterday. He 13 extremely
healthy.
- | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1 A Have you seen | 8 A were spending |
| B Did you see | B have spent |
| C Were you seeing | C spent |
- | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| 2 A haven't seen | 9 A didn't ever visit |
| B didn't | B have never been to |
| C haven't | C was never in |
- | | |
|---------------|--------------------|
| 3 A did talk | 10 A has Greg come |
| B have talked | B has Greg came |
| C talked | C did Greg come |
- | | |
|----------------|------------|
| 4 A didn't see | 11 A did |
| B haven't seen | B has |
| C saw | C has come |
- | | |
|--------------------|---------------|
| 5 A did he travel | 12 A met |
| B has he travelled | B have met |
| C did he travelled | C was meeting |
- | | |
|-------------|------------------|
| 6 A flied | 13 A was looking |
| B flew | B has looked |
| C has flown | C looked |
- 7 A was in
B had been to
C have been to

B) Rewrite these sentences in the present perfect.

Example: I went to shops.
I have gone to shops.

- I didn't do it.
.....
We bought the tickets.
.....
My girlfriend didn't arrive.
.....
The team weren't successful.
.....
You threw the cap into water.
.....
He didn't deliver the parcel.
.....
I cut my finger.
.....

See Key to exercises on the next page