

Present Perfect Vs Past Simple



1. Put the verbs into the Past Simple or Present Perfect:

1. They already (call) her.
2. Jack (finish) work an hour ago.
3. Mandy..... (go) to the bank. She's not here now.
4. Paul (leave) school ten minutes ago.
5. They(go) shopping the other day.
6. Her sister (lose) her glasses.
7. Sally (not go) home after dinner.
8. Michael (visit) some poor children.
9. The boy (speak) to us.
10. We (visit) our relatives last Friday.
11. When she was young she (not like) History.
12. Joe (not come) yet.
13. The children just(go) out.
14. Jack never (fly) in a plane.
15. Some policemen (catch) the criminals two days ago.
16. Peter and his father(change) some money.

2. Right or wrong? (if wrong, correct the sentence):

1. Somebody has broken the window.
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2. She won two Oscars.
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3. They ate Chinese food last week.
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4. Bob finished his work.
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5. We have written a test on Monday.
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3. Insert since or for:

1. She has been in London..... Monday.
2. We've been in Paris four days.
3. Mike has been ill a long time.
4. He's been in hospital October.
5. My aunt has lived in Australia 15 years.
6. India has been an independent country 1947.