

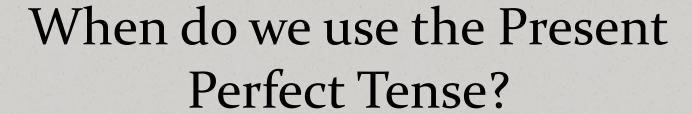
- 1. I got up at \_\_\_\_\_ today. (time)
- 2. I have been awake since \_\_\_\_\_. (time)
- 3. I have come to this class \_\_\_\_\_ times so far this month. (number)
- 4. I took my first English class in \_\_\_\_\_. (year)



- We use past simple to talk about <u>actions</u> that <u>begin</u> and <u>end in the past</u>.
- O Example: I bought a new pair of shoes on Saturday.

## Present Perfect

- O Present Perfect is used to talk about an action that began in the past and continues up to now.
- Affirmative: Subject + Have / Has + Past Participle
- Negative: Subject + Haven't / Hasn't + Past Participle
- Question: Have / Has + Subject + Past Participle



- 1. An action that occurred <u>sometime in the</u> <u>past</u>, but <u>has a result in the present (now)</u>
- We can't find our luggage. Have you seen it?
- 2. To talk about an action that began sometime in the past and have not changed up to now.
- a. since + a specific point in time
- b. for + a length of time
- Alice has worked at Emirates for 3 years.
- Bob has worked as a Flight officer since September of last year.

- 3. To talk about general experiences (ever/never) or events that have or haven't happened.
- a. The exact time may be unstated.
- b. ever, never, yet, still, already are often used with present perfect.
- Has she ever traveled alone before?
- Are Carlos and Rodrigo here? No, they haven't arrived yet.
- 4. To talk about an action that occurring over a period of time or multiple times in the past.
- We have had three tests so far this term.
- The value of the stock has doubled in the last year.



- 1. The past simple may be used with specific time references: yesterday, last year, 2017. While Past Perfect will often use more general time adverbs: already, since, yet, etc.
- 2. The **past simple** is used for **a completed time period**. Use **present perfect** to talk about a <u>time period that has not ended</u>.
- My grandfather loved to travel. My grandfather loves to travel.
- 3. **Present perfect** is used for an <u>indefinites</u> versus a definite question.
- Have you ever visited Astana? Did you visit Astana?
  (You said you went to Kazakhstan last year)