

# Present Perfect Progressive

## Task 1: Put in the correct form of the verb in brackets.

1. Sam \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) at the bus station for hours.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not, work) too long.
3. The pupils \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) since ten o'clock.
4. You \_\_\_\_\_ (not, talk) to me since yesterday.
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ (do) their homework for 30 minutes.
6. I \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) my car four hours.
7. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not, tidy up) her room for weeks.
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not, visit) our grandmother since Christmas.
9. My dog \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) all morning long.
10. She \_\_\_\_\_ (help) for hours.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ (look for) you since we last met.
12. Why \_\_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for another five minutes?
13. Jack's friend \_\_\_\_\_ (carry) boxes downstairs all morning.
14. My sister \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to music all day long.
15. He \_\_\_\_\_ (sit) here for some time.
16. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not, talk) to them since 2011.
17. They \_\_\_\_\_ (discuss) the problem for days.
18. Sara \_\_\_\_\_ (not, tell) him the truth for months.

## Task 2: Make questions. Ask for the underlined information.

1. \_\_\_\_\_? → They have been doing it since 2 o'clock.
2. \_\_\_\_\_? → She has been reading for three hours.
3. \_\_\_\_\_? → I have been working at a big company.
4. \_\_\_\_\_? → Yes, she has been living here for years
5. \_\_\_\_\_? → He has been playing a game.
6. \_\_\_\_\_? → No, they haven't been staying there since May.

# Present Perfect Progressive

## Task 1: Put in the correct form of the verb in brackets.

1. Sam \_\_\_\_\_ has been waiting \_\_\_\_\_ (**wait**) at the bus station for hours.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ haven't been working \_\_\_\_\_ (**not, work**) too long.
3. The pupils \_\_\_\_\_ have been sleeping \_\_\_\_\_ (**sleep**) since ten o'clock.
4. You \_\_\_\_\_ haven't been talking \_\_\_\_\_ (**not, talk**) to me since yesterday.
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ have been doing \_\_\_\_\_ (**do**) their homework for 30 minutes.
6. I \_\_\_\_\_ have been cleaning \_\_\_\_\_ (**clean**) my car four hours.
7. She \_\_\_\_\_ hasn't been tidying up \_\_\_\_\_ (**not, tidy up**) her room for weeks.
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ haven't been visiting \_\_\_\_\_ (**not, visit**) our grandmother since Christmas.
9. My dog \_\_\_\_\_ has been eating \_\_\_\_\_ (**eat**) all morning long.
10. She \_\_\_\_\_ has been helping \_\_\_\_\_ (**help**) for hours.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ have been looking \_\_\_\_\_ (**look for**) you since we last met.
12. Why \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_\_ been waiting \_\_\_\_\_ (**wait**) for another five minutes?
13. Jack's friend \_\_\_\_\_ has been carrying \_\_\_\_\_ (**carry**) boxes downstairs all morning.
14. My sister \_\_\_\_\_ has been listening \_\_\_\_\_ (**listen**) to music all day long.
15. He \_\_\_\_\_ has been sitting \_\_\_\_\_ (**sit**) here for some time.
16. We \_\_\_\_\_ haven't been talking \_\_\_\_\_ (**not, talk**) to them since 2011.
17. They \_\_\_\_\_ have been discussing \_\_\_\_\_ (**discuss**) the problem for days.
18. Sara \_\_\_\_\_ hasn't been telling \_\_\_\_\_ (**not, tell**) him the truth for months.

## Task 2: Make questions. Ask for the underlined information.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ How long have they been doing it \_\_\_\_\_? → They have been doing it since 2 o'clock.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ How long has she been reading \_\_\_\_\_? → She has been reading for three hours.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Where have you been working \_\_\_\_\_? → I have been working at a big company.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Has she been living here for years \_\_\_\_\_? → Yes, she has been living here for years
5. \_\_\_\_\_ What has he been doing \_\_\_\_\_? → He has been playing a game.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Have they been staying there since May \_\_\_\_\_? → No, they haven't been staying there since May.