

ENGLISH GRAMMAR PRACTICE

Topic: Present Perfect with **for** and **since** & **How long ...?** (Indian Context)

18.1 Complete these sentences using **for** or **since**.

1. Amit is in hospital. He *has been* in hospital **since** Monday.
2. I know Priya. I *have known* her a long time.
3. Rajesh & Sunita are married. They married 2018.
4. Rohan is ill. He ill the last 3 days.

5. We live in Lajpat Nagar. We there ten years.
6. Sunita works in a bank. She in a bank 5 years.
7. Alok has a headache. He a headache morning.
8. I'm learning Hindi. I Hindi six months.

18.2 Make questions with **How long ...?**

1. Amit is on holiday.
How long has he been on holiday?
2. Rahul and Sneha are in Goa.
How long
3. I know Neha.
How long you ?

4. Pooja is learning French.
How long
5. My brother lives in Canada.
How long
6. It is raining.
How long

18.3 Complete the sentences. Choose from the box.

Box: for two hours | all day | all her life | since 2018 | since he was 10 | since Sunday

1. They have been married **since 2018**.
2. She has lived in Delhi
3. They have been on holiday

4. The sun has been shining
5. She has been waiting
6. He has had a beard

18.4 Which is right?

1. Rohit is / has been in Canada since Jan. → *has been*
2. Anita is my friend. I know / have known her well.
3. I know / have known her for a long time.
4. 'How long are you / have you been waiting?'

5. Vikas works / has worked in a hotel now.
6. Linda is / has been reading for two hours.
7. 'How long do you live / have you lived here?'
8. Tom is / has been in Spain at the moment.