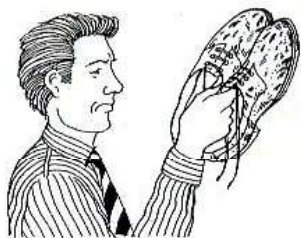


# I have done (present perfect 1)

**A**



His shoes are dirty.



He is cleaning his shoes.



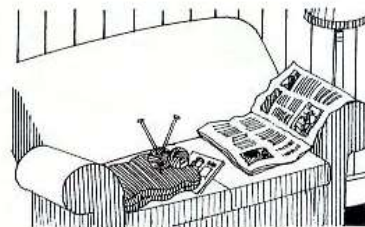
He **has cleaned** his shoes.  
(= his shoes are clean *now*)



They are at home.



They are going out.



They **have gone** out.  
(= they are not at home *now*)

**B**

**has cleaned / have gone** etc. is the present perfect (**have** + past participle):

past participle

I	} <b>have</b> ('ve)	cleaned finished started lost done been gone	
we			
you			} <b>have not</b> (haven't)
they			
he	} <b>has</b> ('s)	} <b>has not</b> (hasn't)	
she			
it			

<b>have</b>	I	} <b>cleaned?</b> <b>finished?</b> <b>started?</b> <b>lost?</b> <b>done?</b> <b>been?</b> <b>gone?</b>	} regular verbs
	we		
	you		
	they		
<b>has</b>	he	} irregular verbs	
	she		
	it		

*Regular verbs:* The past participle is **-ed** (the same as the *past simple*):

clean → I have **cleaned**    finish → we have **finished**    start → she has **started**

*Irregular verbs:* The past participle is sometimes the same as the past simple and sometimes different (⇒ Appendix 2-3). For example:

*the same:* buy → I **bought** / I have **bought**

have → he **had** / he has **had**

*different:* break → I **broke** / I have **broken**

see → you **saw** / you have **seen**

fall → it **fell** / it has **fallen**

go → they **went** / they have **gone**

**C**

We use the present perfect for *an action in the past with a result now*:




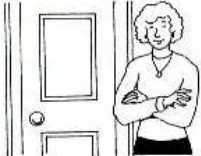
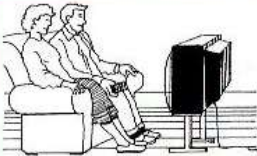


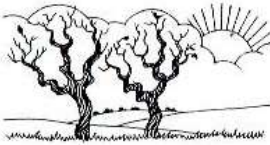


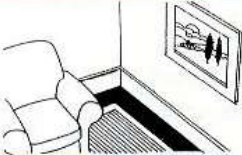
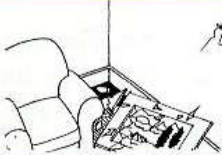
- I've **lost** my passport. (= I can't find my passport *now*)
- 'Where's Linda?' 'She's **gone** to bed.' (= she is in bed *now*)
- We've **bought** a new car. (= we have a new car *now*)
- It's Rachel's birthday tomorrow and I **haven't bought** her a present.
- 'Bob is on holiday.' 'Oh, where **has he gone**?'
- Can I take this newspaper? **Have you finished** with it?

EXERCISES

15.1

Look at the pictures. What has happened? Choose from:

go to bed   ~~clean his shoes~~   stop raining   close the door   fall down   have a bath

	<i>before</i>	<i>now</i>	
1		→ 	He has cleaned his shoes.
2		→ 	She .....
3		→ 	They .....
4		→ 	It .....
5		→ 	He .....
6		→ 	The .....

15.2

Complete the sentences with a verb from the list.

break   buy   decide   ~~finish~~   forget   go   go   invite   see   not/see   take   tell

- 1 'Can I have this newspaper?' 'Yes, I've finished... with it.'
- 2 I ..... some new shoes. Do you want to see them?
- 3 'Where is Liz?' 'She ..... out.'
- 4 I'm looking for Paula. .... you ..... her?
- 5 Look! Somebody ..... that window.
- 6 'Does Lisa know that you're going away?' 'Yes, I ..... her.'
- 7 I can't find my umbrella. Somebody ..... it.
- 8 I'm looking for Sarah. Where ..... she ..... ?
- 9 I know that woman but I ..... her name.
- 10 Sue is having a party tonight. She ..... a lot of people.
- 11 What are you going to do? ..... you ..... ?
- 12 'Where are my glasses?' 'I don't know. I ..... them.'