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Stage 7 Lesson 436

Fact

opinion

historical

mathematical

France is in Europe.

Is this a fact or an opinion?

It's a fact.

France is quite a big country.

Is this a fact or an opinion?

It's an opinion.

English grammar is interesting.

Is this a fact or an opinion?

It's an opinion.

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Give me an example of a historical fact, please.

“World War II begun in 1939”, is a historical fact.

Give me an example of a mathematical fact, please.

“ $2+2 = 4$ ”, is a mathematical fact.

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How long for since

Present Perfect (2)

We use the present perfect when an action starts in the past and is still happening **now**.

We use '**for**' to say how long an action has happened.

I **have taught** English **for** eleven years.

We use 'since' to say when an action started.

She **has been** in this room **since** 5 o'clock.

When do we use the present perfect?

We use the present perfect when an action starts in the past and is still happening now.

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When do we use 'for'?

We use 'for' to say how long an action has happened .

Give me some examples of 'for' please.

For 2 hours, for 3 days, for 2 weeks, for 4 years.

When do we use 'since'?

We use 'since' to say when an action started.

Give me some examples of 'since' please.

Since 3 o'clock, since Monday, since July, since 1996.

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How long have you been in this classroom?

I've been in this classroom for 35 minutes.

Since when?

Since 4 o'clock.

How long have you lived in this city?

I've lived in this city for 2 years.

Since when?

Since 2013.