



UNIVERSITY OF PAMPLONA

PRESENT PERFECT WORKSHOP

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_

### Make the positive present perfect

1) (I / study / French)

**I have studied French**

2) (She / eat / octopus)

**She has eaten Octopus**

3) (They / go / to Scotland)

**They have gone to Scotland**

4) (We / read / that book)

**We have read that book**

5) (He / live / here for three years)

**He has lived here for three years**

6) (You / know / David for ten years)

**You have known David for ten years**

7) (We / be / here for two weeks)

**We have been here for two weeks**

8) (I / lose / my keys)

**I have lost my keys**

9) (He / drink / too much coffee)

**He has drunk too much coffee**

10) (They / miss / the train)

**They have missed the train**

11) (She / go / to Peru)

**She has gone to Peru**

12) (We / eat / too much chocolate)

**We have eaten too much chocolate**

13) (I / have / breakfast this morning)

**I have had breakfast this morning**

14) (John / miss / the train)

**John has missed the train**

### Put the verbs in brackets into the gaps and form negative sentences in Present Perfect.

1. The student  the test yet. **(not/to write)**
2. Tim and Joe  the boxes into the house yet. **(not/to carry)**
3. It  to snow. **(not/to start)**
4. The cat  onto the table yet. **(not/to jump)**
5. I  the castle. **(not/to visit)**
6. We  out of the room all day. **(not/to go)**
7. Fred  the money back so far. **(not/to give)**
8. They  Anne about it. **(not/to tell)**
9. Steven  through the park. **(not/to walk)**
10. The teacher  to the party today. **(not/to come)**

Put the correct verb forms into the gaps. Use the Present Perfect.

1.  you  the kitchen door? **(to paint)**

2.  your brother  the shopping? **(to do)**
3.  Julian ever  a spider? **(to touch)**

## DICTIONATION

1. I have eaten two apples since nine o'clock this morning.
2. She has called me every night this week.
3. I have been learning English for three years.
4. He has written three emails to his girlfriend since monday.
- 5.

# The Old Colonel

## READING COMPREHENSION



I think I **have had** a very interesting life. I'm 73 now and I don't work anymore. I was in the army for 51 years. I retired when I was 69. I **have been** to so many countries that I can't remember all of them. I **ve been** to Australia six or seven times and to South Africa three times. I **have also been** once to Russia but I didn't like it at all: much too cold for me!

They say that love is the greatest thing and I agree. I **ve been married** four times but never for more than five years. I don't think women really understand me!

I **ve never been** on television, but I **ve been** on the radio once. It was a programme about life in the military about twenty years ago. I met the Prime Minister on the same day. Actually, I **ve met** a lot of famous people: members of the royal family, famous politicians and also famous cinema and television personalities. I **ve never met** the American President though which is a pity.

Because I **ve travelled** a lot, I **ve seen** a lot of wonderful things and **have also eaten** and drunk some strange foods and drinks. I ate cats and rats in India and drank something called Mirto on a little island in Italy many years ago.

- The colonel is...years old.  
a) seventy-one    **b) seventy -three**    c) seventy-five
- He worked in the army for ...  
**a) fifty-one years**    b) fifty - six years    c) sixty-one years
- He has been to Australia  
a) many times    b) five times    **c) more than five times**
- He has been to Russia  
a) one time    **b) once**    c) once time
- He didn't like Russia because...  
a) it's big.    b) it's not cold    **c) it's cold**
- He has had ..... wives.  
**a) four**    b) five    c) six
- He has been on television...  
a) many times    b) once    **c) never**
- He has been on radio programme about  
A) his wives    **b) his work**    c) his television
- He has met the Prime Minister many times.  
a) Yes.    b) No.    **c) I don't know.**
- He has met the American President many times.  
a) Yes.    **b) No.**    c) I don't know.
- He has never eaten cats and rats.  
a) Yes.    **b) No.**    c) I don't know.