



My Favorite Childhood Cartoon



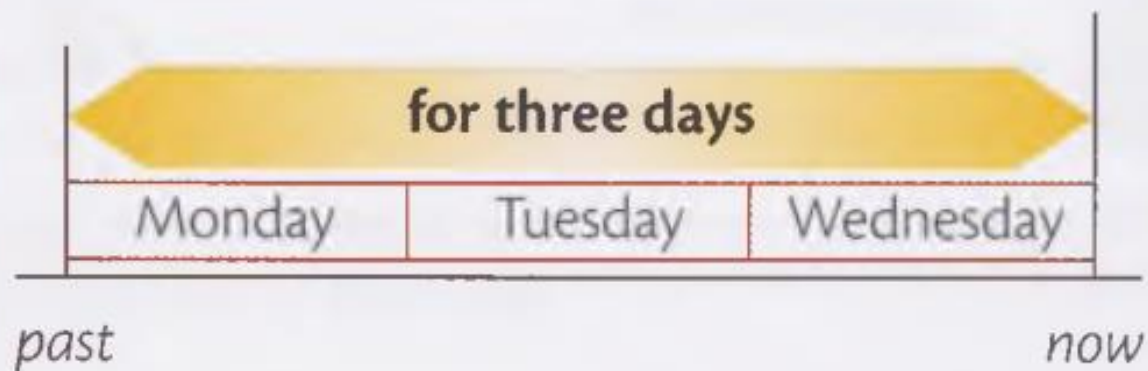
**for
since
ago**

for and since

We use **for** and **since** to say *how long*.

- ☐ Helen is in Ireland. She **has been** there { **for three days.**
since Monday.

We use **for** + a period of time
(**three days** / **two years** etc.):



We use **since** + the start of the period
(**Monday** / **9 o'clock** etc.):



for

three days	ten minutes
an hour	two hours
a week	four weeks
a month	six months
five years	a long time

- ☐ Richard has been in Canada **for six months**. (*not* since six months)
- ☐ We've been waiting **for two hours**. (*not* since two hours)
- ☐ I've lived in London **for a long time**.

since

Monday	Wednesday
9 o'clock	12.30
24 July	Christmas
January	I was ten years old
1985	we arrived

- ☐ Richard has been in Canada **since January**. (= from January to now)
- ☐ We've been waiting **since 9 o'clock**. (= from 9 o'clock to now)
- ☐ I've lived in London **since I was ten years old**.

ago

ago = before now:

- ☐ Susan started her new job **three weeks ago**. (= three weeks before now)
- ☐ 'When did Tom go out?' '**Ten minutes ago**.' (= ten minutes before now)
- ☐ I had dinner **an hour ago**.
- ☐ Life was very different **a hundred years ago**.

We use **ago** with the *past* (**started/did/had/was** etc.).

Compare **ago** and **for**:

- ☐ **When did** Helen **arrive** in Ireland?
She **arrived** in Ireland **three days ago**.
- ☐ **How long has** she **been** in Ireland?
She **has been** in Ireland **for three days**.



Vocabulary

requirement

Требование, потребность

something that you must do, or something you need:

- A good degree is a minimum **requirement** for many jobs.
- [+ that] It is a legal **requirement** that you have insurance for your car.
- Students who fail to meet the **requirements** (of the course) will fail.

queue

- Очередь
- *a line of people, usually standing or in cars, waiting for something, or a lot of people who want something:*
- Are you in the queue for tickets?
- There was a long queue of traffic stretching down the road.
- If you want tickets you'll have to join the queue.
- *disapproving It makes me mad when someone jumps the queue (= goes straight to the front).*
- There's a queue of companies wanting to sell the product.



submit

- представлять на рассмотрение
- ***to give or offer something for a decision to be made by others:***
- You must **submit** your application before 1 January.
- The developers **submitted** building plans to the council for approval.



title

- ЗАГОЛОВОК, НАЗВАНИЕ
- ***the name of a film, book, painting, piece of music, etc.:***
- The **title** of Evelyn Waugh's first novel was "Decline and Fall".
- And this next record is the **title** track from the album ".The Red Shoes". (= the piece of music and the record are both called "The Red Shoes").

choice

- Выбор, отбор, альтернатива
- ***an act of choosing between two or more possibilities.***
- If the product doesn't work, you are given the **choice** of a refund or a replacement.
- He knew he had to make a **choice**.
- You can either accept the job or not. It's your **choice**.