A Time When I Helped Someone

I have done

(present perfect 1)



His shoes are dirty.



They are at home.



He is cleaning his shoes.



They are going out.



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



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

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

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

have	l we you they	cleaned? finished? started? lost?
has	he she it	done? been? gone?

regular verbs

past participle

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

clean \rightarrow I have cleaned finish \rightarrow we have finished start \rightarrow she has started

Irregular verbs The past participle is not -ed.

Sometimes the past simple and past participle are the same:

buy → I bought / I have bought have → he had / he has had

Sometimes the past simple and past participle are different:

break \rightarrow I broke / I have broken see \rightarrow you saw / you have seen go \rightarrow they went / they have gone

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 Rebecca?' '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. (= I don't have a present for her now) 'Bob is away on holiday.' 'Oh, where has he gone?' (= where is he now?) Can I take this newspaper? Have you finished with it? (= do you need it now?)

Vocabulary

think twice think again

- to consider something very carefully before making a decision.
- подумай дважды / подумай еще раз
- You need to think twice before you buy that car. To me, it looks really expensive.
- > You should think again before you actually hand over the money. Why don't you get it checked?
- Perhaps you need to think again about it. Why don't you give them the answer on Tuesday?

something rocks someone socks

- something or somebody is really good or enjoyable, or is great or outstanding in some way
- ▶ I just got the latest smartphone, and it **rocks**! The camera quality and battery life are amazing.
- The guy working at the mobile shop **rocks**. He knows everything about phones and is so friendly and helpful.
- ▶ This new pub on the main street really **rocks**. There is always a great atmosphere.

to have someone over

- to invite someone to come to your home
- You know what kids are like. They always like to have someone over.
- We must have you over for dinner before we leave.

to chill out

- to relax
- ► I'm just **chilling out** in front of the TV.
- We 've been travelling a lot over the last few weekends. So we really need to just chill out.

to stop by

- phrasal verb; to go into a place for a short time when you are going somewhere else.
- Why don't you stop by on your way to the meeting?
- ▶ Before they left, he wrote a note that he wanted to stop by the clinic.
- ► He stopped by the office to drop off a copy of the contract.