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Present Perfect Tense

Learning Outcomes

- Students will understand the structure and use of the present perfect tense.
- They will learn to form positive, negative, and interrogative sentences in the present perfect tense.
- They will use the present perfect tense to describe actions that started in the past and continue in the present.
- They will identify and apply the correct use of "has" or "have" with the past participle in sentences.



Lead in

Circle the sentences that say the work is complete.

- I am going to school. / I have reached school.
- He has just eaten his meal. / We are eating our breakfast now.



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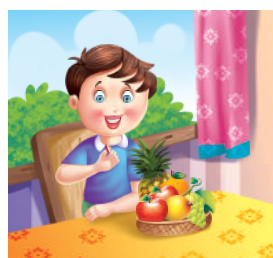
Present Perfect Tense

The present perfect tense is used to talk about an action completed in the recent past whose effect continues in the present.

Read the following sentences.

- I **have eaten** my meal.
- We **have reached** the station.
- She **has won** the first prize.

The verbs in these sentences are in the **present perfect tense**.



Formation of the Present Perfect Tense

- We use has/have + past participle form of the verb.

Example: Has bought; Have passed; Has left



Grammar Byte

- We often use words like **already** and **just** with the present perfect tense.





A verb has three main forms : present, past and past participle.

For example,

Present	Past	Past participle
play	played	played
pass	passed	passed

To form a sentence in present perfect tense we need the past participle form of a verb. So, it is important to know how to form past participle form of a verb.

1. Formation of the Past and Past Participle Forms

Present	Past	Past participle
1. In most cases		Add -ed
paint	paint ed	paint ed
watch	watch ed	watch ed

Some other verbs of this kind are: play, work, call, walk, clean, etc.

2. Most words ending in a hissing sound add -ed (s, ss, ch, sh, x, z)

rush	rush ed	rush ed
watch	watch ed	watch ed

Some other verbs of this kind are: kiss, wash, search.

3. Most words ending in -e, -ee, ie Add -ed

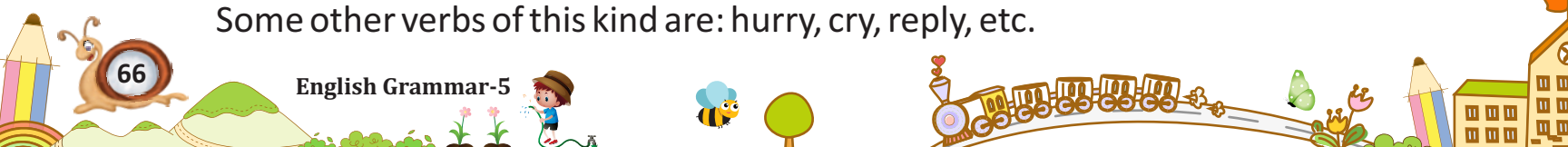
care	car ed	car ed
agree	agree d	agree d
bake	bake d	bake d

Some other verbs of this kind are : like divide, live, race, hate, etc.

4. Consonant + y ... ye -ied vowel + y ... + -ed

fry	frie d	frie d
apply	applie d	applie d
try	trie d	trie d

Some other verbs of this kind are: hurry, cry, reply, etc.





5.

bite	bit	bit/bitten
hide	hid	hidden
creep	crept	crept
keep	kept	kept
sweep	swept	swept
feel	felt	felt
meet	met	met
build	built	built
learn	learnt	learnt

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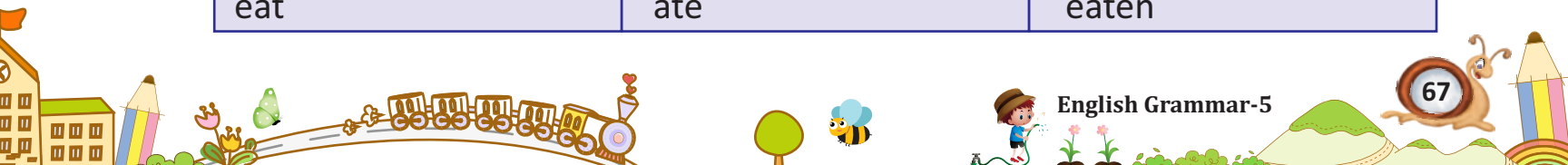
blow	blew	blown
fly	flew	flown
grow	grew	grown
know	knew	known
bring	brought	brought
buy	bought	bought
catch	caught	caught
fight	fought	fought
teacher	taught	taught
think	thought	thought

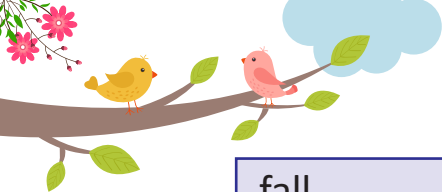
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break	broke	broken
choose	chose	chosen
rise	rose	risen
speak	spoke	spoken
write	wrote	written
shine	shone	shone
beat	beat	beaten

8.

come	came	come
do	did	done
drink	drank	drunk
eat	ate	eaten





fall	fell	fallen
forget	forgot	forgotten
get	got	got
give	gave	given
go	went	gone
leave	left	left
lose	lost	lost
make	made	made
ring	rang	rung
see	saw	seen
sing	sang	sung
sleep	slept	slept
spend	spent	spent
stand	stood	stood
tell	told	told
win	won	won

9.

cut	cut	cut
hit	hit	hit
hurt	hurt	hurt
put	put	put
read	read	read
shut	shut	shut
spread	spread	spread

Use of Present Perfect Tense

We use the present perfect tense to express actions that **just** or **already** been completed.

I **have already done** my homework.

She **has just left**.


Complete the sentences using the present perfect tense form of verbs given in the bracket.

1. The children _____ (eat) the whole pudding.



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2. He _____ (find) a new job.
 3. She _____ (write) her name on her book.
 4. He _____ (close) the door.
 5. I _____ (forget) your name.
 6. She _____ (paint) this picture.
 7. They _____ (tell) me everything.
 8. He _____ (agree) to come.
 9. You _____ (break) my leg.
 10. We _____ (finish) our homework.



Points to Remember

- ⦿ The **Present Perfect Tense** is used to talk about an action completed in the recent past whose effect continues in the present.
- ⦿ A verb has three main forms : **Present, Past and Past Participle**.



My Activity Corner



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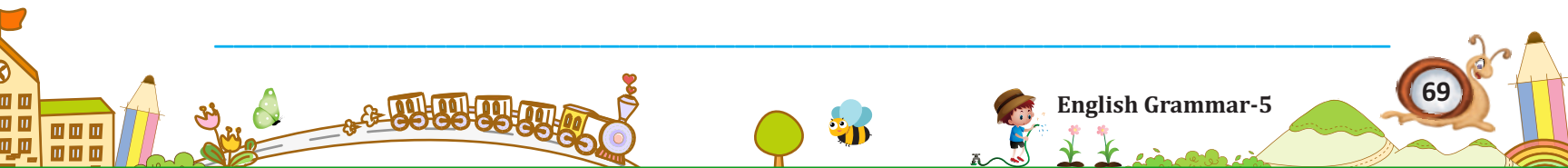
Make sentences using present perfect tense form.

1. I/take/dinner

2. You/do/your homework

3. Neha/write/a letter

4. We/not plan/our holiday





5. I/not work/today

6. She/not see/for a long time

7. School/not start/yet



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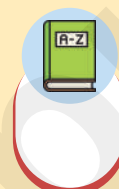
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