

Hello, everyone.

Today it's time to practice when and how to use FOR and SINCE with the present perfect tense. Sounds easy, right?

Make some notes into your notebooks.



## For/since

The words **for** and **since** are used when the speaker wants to talk about something that started in the past and continues into the present.

**For** is used when specifying how long something lasts. – **For** uporabimo, da izrazimo, koliko časa neko dejanje traja.

- I've had this bike **for** more than 20 years.
- I've known him **for** ages.
- He's been here **for** 6 months.
- They've been living here **for** ten years.

**Since** is used when specifying the starting point of actions, events or states. It refers to when things began. – **Since** uporabimo, da izrazimo, od kdaj neko dejanje traja.

- I've had this bike **since** 2000.
- I've known him **since** we were babies.
- He's been here **since** November.
- She's been living here **since** she got married in 2010.

\*\*\*EXTRA: Have you noticed **the present perfect continuous** form (*has/have been living*)? – Ta čas izraža neprekinjen potek neke dejavnosti. Pogosto ga npr. uporabljamo z glagoli *live, learn, wait, try*.

Now, let's put theory into practice.

[https://www.englishclub.com/grammar/verbs-m\\_for-since\\_quiz.htm](https://www.englishclub.com/grammar/verbs-m_for-since_quiz.htm)

Wait, there's more. Open your textbooks and do Exercise 4a on page 83.

Last but not least – do Exercise 5a on the same page as well.



That's it for today.

Don't forget – ZOOM Meetings have already been scheduled for this Thursday.

All the best from your English teachers