

Topic 3



Architecture

Grammar: Past simple and present perfect use



Time needed for the studying of materials: 8 lessons

Time needed for the testing of studied materials: 45 minutes



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In case of any difficulties with the subject matter, there is a possibility to ask a course teacher for tutorials.

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1. Write the plural for the expressions below

wider	
It requires	
material	
costs	
process	
group	
both	
technology	
She may	
activity	

2. Write past simple and past participle for the verbs below.

Basic form	Past simple	Past participle
come		
can		
be		
have		
write		
know		
understand		
sing		
wear		
take		
learn		
show		
see		
read		
choose		
go		
shout		
think		
find		
speak		

3. Decide whether the sentences below are correct or not. Correct the ones which contain a mistake.

1. Jane has lost her purse a year ago.

2. Agatha Christie has written many exciting criminal stories. What a pity, she is dead.

3. They have had a lot of meetings with construction companies this week.

4. Mary and John have been going out for about ten years before they got married.

5. Have you done any work in the garden today?

6. The builders constructed a new town hall recently.

7. The staff just came from the canteen.

8. They didn't sent the postcard from Greece last July.

Key

1. Write the plural for the expressions below

wider	x
It requires	they require
material	materials
costs	x
process	processes
group	groups
both	x
technology	technologies
She may	they may
activity	activities

2. Write past simple and past participle for the verbs below.

Basic form	Past simple	Past participle
come	came	come
can	could	been able to
be	was/were	been
have	had	had
write	wrote	written
know	knew	known
understand	understood	understood
sing	sang	sung
wear	wore	worn
take	took	taken
learn	learned/learnt	learned/learnt
show	showed	shown
see	saw	seen
read	read	read
choose	chose	chosen
go	went	gone
shout	shouted	shouted
think	thought	thought
find	found	Found
speak	spoke	spoken

3. Decide whether the sentences below are correct or not. Correct the ones which contain a mistake.

- Jane has lost her purse a year ago. **OK**
- Agatha Christie has written many exciting criminal stories during her life. What a pity, she is dead.

Agatha Christie wrote many exciting criminal stories during her life. What a pity, she is dead.

3. They have had a lot of meetings with construction companies this week. OK

4. Mary and John have been going out for about ten years before they got married.

Mary and John were going out for about ten years before they got married.

5. Have you done any work in the garden today? OK

6. The builders constructed a new town hall recently. OK

7. The staff just came from the canteen.

The staff has just come from the canteen.

8. They didn't sent the postcard from Greece last July.

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