

Present Perfect Continuous

Welcome back homies, today we are going to talk about tenses again. Jadi hari ini kita akan membahas tentang present perfect continuous tense atau juga di sebut dengan present perfect progressive. So homies, udah tau penggunaan present perfect continuous belum? Kalau belum, yuk kita simak penjelasannya.

Jadi present perfect continuous itu di gunakan untuk menunjukkan suatu kegiatan yang mulai di lakukan di masa lalu, tapi masih berlanjut sampai sekarang. Contohnya; *Imran have been waiting for an hour* (Imran sudah menunggu selama 1 jam). nah, arti dari kalimat ini adalah Imran sudah menunggu dari satu jam yg lalu dan masih menunggu sampai sekarang. Selain itu present perfect continuous juga digunakan untuk menyatakan kegiatan yang baru saja selesai, akan tetapi kita masih bisa merasakan akibat dari kegiatan tersebut. Contohnya; *I have been working for 8 hours.* *No wonder I feel tired* (saya sudah bekerja selama 8 jam. Tidak heran saya merasa lelah).

Pembentukan kalimat present perfect continuous:

Positive sentence	S + have/has + been + Ving	Example: - She has been reading comic all day. - They have been studying for almost three hours - Anna has been living here since 2015
Negative sentence	S + has/have + not + been + Ving	- She hasn't been reading comic all day - They haven't been studying for almost three hours - Anna hasn't been living here since 2015
Interrogative sentence	Has/have + S + been + Ving	- Has she been reading comic all day? - Have they been studying for almost three hours? - Has Anna been living here since 2015?

Note: - Has digunakan untuk subject *she, he dan it*.
- Have digunakan untuk subbject *I, you, they, we*

Now, let's do the exercise homies!

1. The boys ... for almost two hours, they must be getting tired.
A. Have been playing
B. Has been playing

2. Alex ... on the phone for two hours. He should hang up soon.
A. Has been talking
B. Have been talking
3. preparing for this test for almost 2 weeks?
A. Have you been
B. Has you been
4. I ... listening to the teacher explanation for an hours
A. Have been
B. has been
5. We ... for over an hour.
A. Hasn't been talking
B. Haven't been talking
6. You ... nothing for the last 30 minutes
A. Have been doing
B. Has been doing
7. Nadya ... in Pekanbaru for ten years
A. Have been living
B. Has been living
8. The film ... for ten minutes yet, but there's a commercial break already.
A. Hasn't been running
B. Haven't been running
9. How long ... in the garden?
A. Have she been working
B. Has she been working
10. I ... without electricity for two weeks.
A. Have been living
B. Has been living

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