Present perfect: for, since y how long

For o since: duración o inicio

For dice cuánto tiempo: for three weeks, desde hace tres semanas. Since dice desde cuándo: since Friday, desde el viernes. Las situaciones de esta ficha continúan ahora y usamos have o has + participio. A long time y most of your life son duraciones y llevan for. Last week, noon y un año como 2022 indican el inicio y llevan since. No confundas una cantidad de tiempo con un momento concreto.

Ejemplo resuelto

We have been here ____ an hour. → We have been here for an hour.

Estamos aquí desde hace una hora.

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Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Completa con for si hay una duración o con since si hay un momento inicial.

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26. We have been in this hotel _____ Friday.

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31. The puppy has been with us _____ Christmas.

32. Leo has been a student here _____ January.

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Soluciones

Frases con el hueco completado. La respuesta aparece en negrita.

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