

Teacher notes

How long...?

Language point

Present perfect continuous tense

Aim

To practise the present perfect continuous tense and forming questions with "How long...?"

Activity

Students ask and answer questions to complete a chart.

Organization

Individual and pair work.

Preparation

Make enough copies of the activity for the number of students in your class.

What do I do?

- 1 Hand out the activity. Students ask you "How long...?" questions to complete the YOUR TEACHER column. Correct form where necessary.
- 2 Divide students into pairs. Students complete the YOU column.
- 3 Students ask questions to their partner, completing the YOUR PARTNER column.

How long...	Your teacher	You	Your partner
(live) in this town?			
(have) your shoes?			
(drive)?			
(be) awake?			
(take) classes at this school?			
(have) your hair like that?			
(have) your watch?			
(do) this exercise?			
(learn / teach) English?			