PROJECT DAY • 12:00

WE HAVE BEEN WORKING SINCE 9!

Geçmişte başlayıp hâlâ süren ya da yeni biten eylem → have / has been + V-ing

9 A.M.



We started our solar model at nine.
(Güneş enerjili maketimize dokuzda başladık.)

NOW

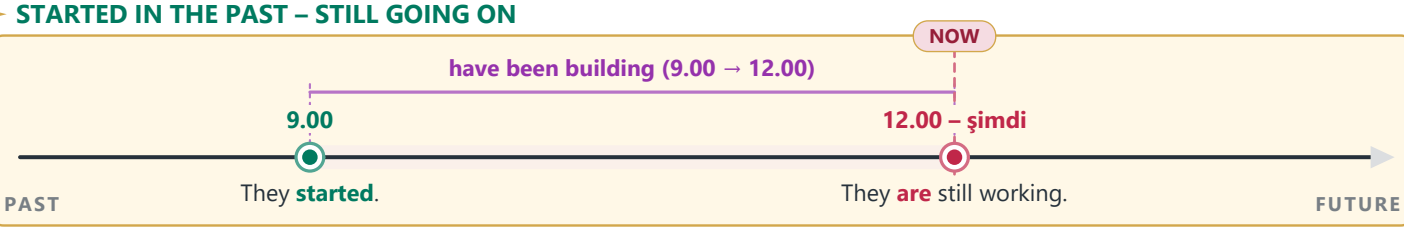
12 NOON

We have been building it for three hours!
(Üç saattir onu yapıyoruz!)



have / has + been + V-ing + for / since

STARTED IN THE PAST – STILL GOING ON



POSITIVE Olumlu
özne + have / has been + V-ing
(I've been, she's been ...)
They have been chatting for an hour.

NEGATIVE Olumsuz
özne + haven't / hasn't been + V-ing
He hasn't been feeling well.

QUESTION Soru
(How long) + have / has + özne + been + V-ing?
Yes, ... have. / No, ... hasn't.
How long have you been learning Spanish? – For two years.

FOR OR SINCE?

	for + süre (ne kadar?)	since + başlangıç (ne zamandan beri?)
saat	for two hours • for twenty minutes	since 8 o'clock • since noon
gün / yıl	for five days • for years	since Sunday • since 2023

SIMPLE OR CONTINUOUS?

1. **have been + V-ing** → süreç, ne kadar süredir?
   I have been reading this novel all week.
2. **have / has + V3** → sonuç, kaç tane?, bitti
   I have read three novels this month.
3. Durum fiilleri (know, like, want, have = sahip olmak) → simple
   *I **have known** Ece since primary school. (have been knowing X)*
4. Görünen sonuç: yeni bitmiş eylem
   *Your hands are blue. **Have** you **been painting**?*

- She **has been taking** swimming lessons since June.
  Haziran'dan beri yüzme dersi alıyor.
- We **haven't been using** our phones today.
  Bugün telefonlarımızı kullanmıyoruz.

- **Has** Ali **been jogging**? – Yes, he **has**.
  Ali koşu mu yapıyordu? (Terlemiş.) – Evet.
- I **have drawn** two maps. • I **have been drawing** all day.
  İki harita çizdim (sonuç). • Bütün gün çiziyorum (süreç).

REMEMBER THIS

have / has + been + V-ing — have / has → been → V-ing
since twenty minutes X → for twenty minutes
How long has she been working? (has she working X)

A FOR OR SINCE?

Do these words go with for or since? Write them in the correct box.

WORDS

ages | a long time | 2024 | a month | three hours | breakfast | I was eight | 9 a.m. | Monday | two weeks | last summer | ten minutes

FOR ...	SINCE ...

B WHAT HAVE THEY BEEN DOING?

Read the sentences. Write the letter of the matching picture in the box. Look at the example.



1 Emre's hands are covered in clay. He has been making pots. EXAMPLE e

2 Mr Demir's legs hurt. He has been climbing the hills all day. ☐

3 Kerem and Ece's arms are tired. They have been rowing on the lake. ☐

4 Mr Tanaka is covered in dust. He has been cycling on a mountain path. ☐

5 The dancers are out of breath. They have been dancing in the square. ☐

6 There are notes everywhere. Ada has been revising for her exams. ☐

7 Ms Aksoy is losing her voice. She has been singing all evening. ☐

8 Mr Kaya's fingers are black with ink. He has been practising calligraphy. ☐

C FORM CHECK

Circle the correct word. Look at the example.

1 Mert has been (**practise** / **practising**) the guitar since lunch. EXAMPLE

2 The twins have (**been** / **being**) arguing all morning.

3 My aunt has been teaching at this school (**for** / **since**) 2015.

4 (**Have** / **Has**) the students been rehearsing for the show?

5 How long (**has** / **is**) Zeynep been learning calligraphy?

6 We have (**wanted** / **been wanting**) a class pet since January.

7 It has been snowing (**for** / **since**) three days.

8 They (**haven't** / **didn't**) been sleeping well this week.

9 Nil (**has** / **have**) been writing her report since Tuesday.

10 That cup has (**belonged** / **been belonging**) to our school since 1998.

D RESULT OR ACTIVITY?

Use the present perfect simple or continuous. Write the verbs in brackets. Look at the example.

1 Look at all these cakes! We **have baked** (bake) twenty of them. EXAMPLE

2 Your face is red. _____ you _____ (run)?

3 Defne _____ (write) three poems for the contest so far.

4 The volunteers _____ (collect) rubbish in the park since 8 a.m.

5 Our class _____ (need) a new projector for months.

6 Shh! The baby _____ (sleep) for only half an hour.

7 How many photos _____ you _____ (take) today?

8 How long _____ Emre _____ (wait) outside the office?

9 We _____ (paint) the classroom all day, and we're exhausted.

10 Oh no! Somebody _____ (eat) all the biscuits!

11 Kerem _____ (play) football since lunch, so his kit is muddy.

12 So far, the team _____ (score) four goals.

E THE HOW-LONG RACE

Play with a partner and a dice, or work alone. Write the answer in each square. Look at square 1.

▶ START

1 EXAMPLE

I have **been looking** (look) for you everywhere!

2

She has been dancing _____ 10 o'clock.

3

They've been talking _____ forty minutes.

4 ★

GO BACK 2

5

_____ your parents been working late?

6

Correct the word: We have been queuing since an hour.

_____

7

It _____ (rain) all day.

8

Correct the word: She has been study all night.

_____

9 ★

MISS A TURN

10

_____ you been crying? Your eyes are red.

11

I _____ (have) this phone for two years.

12

Duru has been going to the art club _____ she was nine.

13

Add the missing word: Dad has fixing the car all morning.

_____

14 ★

GO FORWARD 2

15

Mia has been reading _____ lunchtime.

16

We have _____ (paint) four posters so far.

17

Look at your shoes! _____ you _____ (walk) in the mud?

18

The printer _____ (not / work) since Friday.

19

Ali has been in the team _____ two seasons.

20

Correct the word: We have been owning this car for ages.

_____

★ FINISH

F MEET THE CHESS CHAMPION

Kenji interviews Yusuf for the school blog. Complete the interview with the verbs in brackets. Look at the example in bold.

K Kenji: How long **have** you **been playing** (play) chess, Yusuf?

Y Yusuf: For six years. I **(1)** _____ (love) it since my first game.

K Kenji: How many tournaments **(2)** _____ you **(3)** _____ (win) so far?

Y Yusuf: I **(4)** _____ (win) six. And I **(5)** _____ (prepare) for a big one since September.

K Kenji: **(6)** _____ your coach **(7)** _____ (help) you?

Y Yusuf: Yes, she **(8)** _____. We **(9)** _____ (train) every evening this month.

K Kenji: You look tired. **(10)** _____ you **(11)** _____ (eat) properly?

Y Yusuf: Not really. I **(12)** _____ (watch) chess videos late at night!

G MY SCHOOL TRIP REPORT

You are on a school trip. Write a short report of 6–8 sentences. Use the starter and the checklist.

Where are you? What is happening now? What have you done so far? What have you been doing for a long time?

We are on our school trip to _____



CHECKLIST

- ☐ where you are and what is happening now (am / is / are + V-ing)
- ☐ two things you have done so far (have / has + V3)
- ☐ one long activity with for or since (have been + V-ing)
- ☐ how you feel about the trip

ANSWER KEY • CHECK & LEARN

Uzun ve kısa biçim ikisi de doğrudur: have not been = haven't been • she has been = she's been.
G kişisel yazmadır; buradaki metin örnektir. Doğru kurulmuş her cümle kabul edilir.
D4 ve E7: simple (have collected, has rained) da olur; süreç vurgusu için continuous beklenir.
E18: hasn't worked • E20: had (We have had this car ...) • F6–7: Has ... helped da kabul edilir.



A • For or since?

FOR ... → three hours • two weeks • a long time • ages • ten minutes • a month

SINCE ... → 9 a.m. • Monday • 2024 • last summer • breakfast • I was eight

B • What have they been doing?

1 → e	2 → c	3 → h	4 → a
5 → f	6 → b	7 → g	8 → d

C • Form check

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D • Result or activity?

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3. Defne **has written** (write) three poems for the contest so far.
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E • The how-long race

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2. She has been dancing **since** 10 o'clock.
3. They've been talking **for** forty minutes.
5. Have your parents been working late?
6. for
7. It **has been raining** (rain) all day.
8. studying
10. Have you been crying? Your eyes are red.
11. I **have had** (have) this phone for two years.
12. Duru has been going to the art club **since** she was nine.
13. been
15. Mia has been reading **since** lunchtime.
16. We have **painted** (paint) four posters so far.
17. Look at your shoes! **Have** you **been walking** (walk) in the mud?
18. The printer **hasn't been working** (not / work) since Friday.
19. Ali has been in the team **for** two seasons.
20. owned

F • Meet the chess champion

1. have loved	**2.** have
3. won	**4.** have won
5. have been preparing	**6.** Has
7. been helping	**8.** has
9. have been training	**10.** Have
11. been eating	**12.** have been watching

G • My school trip report

We are on our school trip to Safranbolu. Right now, our guide is showing us an old mansion. So far, we have visited a museum and we have bought some lokum. We have been walking since nine o'clock, so my feet hurt! I have been taking photos all day. It is a wonderful trip.

Örnek cevaptır; doğru kurulmuş her cümle kabul edilir.