

Past Simple or Present Perfect?

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2. I have eaten (eat) breakfast already.
3. They went (go) to Paris last summer.
4. He hasn't finished (not finish) his homework yet.
5. Sarah bought (buy) a new car last month.
6. I have travelled (travel) to Italy twice.
7. They met (meet) each other a few years ago.
8. She has just finished (just finish) her assignment.
9. They haven't visited (not visit) the Grand Canyon yet.
10. He has travelled (travel) to Japan several times.
11. Mary hasn't eaten (not eat) sushi before.
12. Tom met (meet) his best friend when he was in college.

LAST + ...
= past simple
+ AGO.

already / never
not yet / twice / once
↳ present perfect

just / recently
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HAVE + PP.
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