

EXERCISE 3

Fill in *since* or *for*.

Use *since* with times or events that are definitely past. Use *for* with all other expressions of time.

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| 1. _____ 5 years                       | 11. _____ many years           |
| 2. _____ last month                    | 12. _____ last Christmas       |
| 3. _____ a long time                   | 13. _____ she sent it          |
| 4. _____ his last birthday             | 14. _____ the Second World War |
| 5. _____ 1976                          | 15. _____ 5 minutes            |
| 6. _____ a year                        | 16. _____ a month and a half   |
| 7. _____ 8 months ago                  | 17. _____ it rained            |
| 8. _____ several weeks                 | 18. _____ the day he left      |
| 9. _____ June 1 <sup>st</sup> , 1969   | 19. _____ days                 |
| 10. _____ the 17 <sup>th</sup> century | 20. _____ months               |

Choose 5 *since* and *for* expressions from Exercise A and write Present Perfect sentences.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_