Present Perfect vs. Simple Past

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Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Choose the correct tense.

Choose the sentence that fits.

1. Finished time: last year
   Choices: I have bought this phone last year. / I bought this phone last year.

   Answer: _____

2. Up to now
   Choices: I have had this phone since 2022. / I had this phone since 2022.

   Answer: _____

3. Question about experience
   Choices: Did you ever use a tablet? / Have you ever used a tablet?

   Answer: _____

4. Asking for details
   Choices: When have you bought it? / When did you buy it?

   Answer: _____

2. Complete the conversation.

Write the verb in the correct tense.

1. A: Have you ever lost your keys? B: Yes, I have. I ___ them at school last week. (lose)

2. A: Have you ever been to Querétaro? B: Yes, I ___ there in 2021. (go)

3. My brother ___ his laptop since 2020. (have)

4. We ___ our TV two months ago. (buy)

3. Write a short exchange.

Write a question with Have you ever...? and an answer with one detail in the simple past.

1. Question and answer about technology.

3. Write a short exchange. (continued)

2. Question and answer about travel.

3. Question and answer about a skill.