

# 25 Things I have done

You can use the present perfect to talk about personal achievements. Modifying adverbs can help you to be precise about when the achievements happened.

 **New language** Modifying adverbs

 **Aa Vocabulary** Adventure sports

 **New skill** Talking about your achievements

## 25.1 KEY LANGUAGE PRESENT PERFECT WITH MODIFYING ADVERBS

Modifying adverbs give more information about when or if an action happened.

The adverb "already" means that something has happened or been completed, possibly earlier than expected.

"Already" is usually placed before the main verb.

**I've **already** packed my bags, so I can relax now.**



The adverb "just" means "a short time ago."

"Just" is placed before the main verb.

**I've **just** called a cab. It should be here soon.**



The adverb "yet" is used to talk about something that is expected to happen. It is used only in questions and negative sentences.

"Yet" is usually placed at the end of the sentence.

**The cab hasn't arrived **yet**. I hope I won't be late.**



The adverb "still" means an action or situation is ongoing.

"Still" is usually placed after the subject.

**The cab **still** hasn't arrived. Where can it be?**





## 25.2 REWRITE THE SENTENCES, PUTTING THE MODIFYING ADVERB IN THE CORRECT PLACE

I've run a marathon. (just)

I've just run a marathon.

1 She hasn't been hiking. (yet)

2 I've learned three languages. (already)

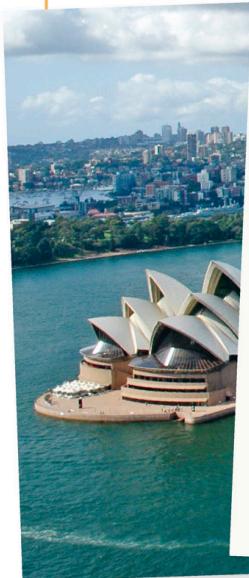
3 They've finished canoeing down the river. (just)

4 He's swum in a coral reef. (already)

5 Our flight to Madrid is delayed. (still)

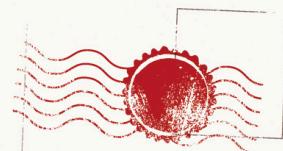


## 25.3 READ THE POSTCARD AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS



Hi Dad,  
My trip to Australia continues to be incredible! I'm in Sydney and I've already climbed the Harbour Bridge. Another highlight was Bondi Beach, where I learned to surf! I still haven't gone on a boat trip around Darling Harbour. I've just returned from a hiking tour of the Blue Mountains. It was amazing! When I was in Queensland, we swam in the Great Barrier Reef, but I haven't seen any dolphins yet. I still haven't seen a kangaroo, but I hope I will on the long drive to Melbourne.

Love, Anita



What has Anita climbed in Sydney?

A mountain  A reef  Harbour Bridge

1 What did Anita learn to do at Bondi Beach?

Sunbathe  Surf  Dive

2 What does Anita hope to do in Darling Harbour?

Take a boat trip  Swim  Sunbathe

3 What activity did Anita do in the Blue Mountains?

Hiking  Climbing  Surfing

4 Which animal hasn't Anita seen in the ocean yet?

Koala  Dolphin  Whale

5 What animal does Anita hope to see?

Whale  Koala  Kangaroo

## 25.4 VOCABULARY ADVENTURE SPORTS



scuba diving



hang gliding



sky diving



snorkeling



go on safari



windsurfing



## 25.5 READ THE ARTICLE AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS IN FULL SENTENCES

### HOLIDAY TIPS

## Five Things to Do This Summer

By Ian Freshman

### 1 Snorkeling in the Red Sea

I've loved snorkeling since I was a kid. It's still my favorite hobby and the Red Sea is amazing. It's also fantastic for scuba-diving.

heaven!" I've just returned from Interlaken and I've already booked my next trip.

### 4 Safari in South Africa

I haven't been on nearly enough safaris yet. Driving around in a big open vehicle, hoping to see a "big cat," is an exciting experience.

### 5 Skydiving in Hawaii

I went last year and discovered the ultimate thrill for adrenalin lovers. While you're "diving," keep your eyes open because the view's stunning!

### 3 Hang gliding in Interlaken

Viewing the awe-inspiring scenery from above is the nearest I've been to "hang gliding

What is Ian's favorite thing to do?

Ian's favorite thing to do is snorkeling.

1 Where does Ian enjoy snorkeling?

2 Where is Margarita Island?

3 What activity has Ian just done in Interlaken?

4 Does Ian want to hang glide again in Interlaken?

5 What does Ian hope to see when in South Africa?

6 What did Ian do last year?

7 What should you do while skydiving?



## 25.6 LISTEN TO THE AUDIO AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS



Maria and Kevin are talking about the things they've done since they got married, three years ago.

They have done many things together.

True  False

1 Maria and Kevin haven't visited every country.

True  False

2 They have been hang gliding in Switzerland.

True  False

3 Maria and Kevin have been skydiving in Australia.

True  False

4 Maria hasn't tried windsurfing yet.

True  False

5 Maria learned French a long time ago.

True  False

6 Kevin hasn't done much surfing this year.

True  False

### 25 ✓ CHECKLIST

Modifying adverbs

Aa Adventure sports

Talking about your achievements



### REVIEW THE ENGLISH YOU HAVE LEARNED IN UNITS 20–25

NEW LANGUAGE	SAMPLE SENTENCE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	UNIT
PAST SIMPLE WITH EMPHASIS	I thought you <b>asked</b> Maya to tidy her room. I <b>did ask</b> her. I think she forgot.	<input type="checkbox"/>	20.2
PAST SIMPLE IRREGULAR VERBS	They <b>hid</b> behind the tree.	<input type="checkbox"/>	20.9
PREFIXES AND SUFFIXES	Jane is <b>unlikely</b> to study history. Mr. Ri was <b>pleased</b> the play was <b>successful</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	22.1
PRESENT PERFECT: TO GIVE NEW INFORMATION	I <b>have arrived</b> in London! My plane landed five minutes ago.	<input type="checkbox"/>	24.1
PRESENT PERFECT: TO TALK ABOUT A REPEATED ACTION	I <b>have visited</b> California every summer since I was 18.	<input type="checkbox"/>	24.1
PRESENT PERFECT: TO TALK ABOUT AN EVENT THAT IS STILL HAPPENING NOW	Olivia <b>has gone</b> on a trip to Egypt.	<input type="checkbox"/>	24.1
PRESENT PERFECT AND PAST SIMPLE	Olivia <b>has gone</b> to Egypt on vacation. Olivia <b>went</b> to Egypt in September.	<input type="checkbox"/>	24.3
PRESENT PERFECT WITH MODIFYING ADVERBS	I've <b>already</b> packed my bag, so I can relax now. The cab <b>still</b> hasn't arrived. Where can it be?	<input type="checkbox"/>	25.1