



**BATTLE FOR BRITAIN**  
**COURSE 1**  
**VRGN-BWLF/10-66**  
**CLASSIFIED**



## Mission 2.3.

### Present Perfect vs Past Simple

# 1

Open the brackets.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ (you) his photos yet? You guys \_\_\_\_\_ two years ago! (not delete, split up)
2. Colin \_\_\_\_\_ on a round-the-world cruise last week. (to set off)
3. Emily \_\_\_\_\_ her brother again. He still has a bruise on his knee. (to kick)
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ in the suburbs since I was a child. (to live)
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ John today, but I \_\_\_\_\_ him last Sunday. (not to see, to come across)
6. Julia \_\_\_\_\_ with her left hand all her life and she's fine with it. (always / to write)
7. She \_\_\_\_\_ a language course in Paris last summer. (to do)
8. Someone \_\_\_\_\_ soup on the carpet and it is filthy now. (to spill)
9. The court \_\_\_\_\_ the appeal five days ago. (to reject)
10. The players \_\_\_\_\_ bitterly disappointed after losing the Champions League finals. (to be)

# 2

Use the form needed.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ (the Emergency Services ) with the problem yet? (to deal)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ (you) for permission to go to the gig yet? (to ask)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ (you ever) to an operating theatre? (to go)

4. Ann still \_\_\_\_\_ my message. (not / to reply)
  5. Finally, I \_\_\_\_\_ a new laptop. Now it's time for a new target! (to purchase)
  6. He \_\_\_\_\_ his bizarre behaviour so far. (not / to explain)
  7. How often \_\_\_\_\_ (your daughter) the housework this week? (to do)
  8. Robert \_\_\_\_\_ on a trip through Europe. (never / to go)
  9. She \_\_\_\_\_ an appointment with the GP before. (never / to make)
  10. Paul \_\_\_\_\_ his girlfriend's bike but he says he will. (not to repair)
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# 3

**Put the verb into the correct form, past simple or present perfect.**

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ video games since I \_\_\_\_\_ was a teen. (not/to play - to be)
  2. \_\_\_\_\_ a suitable solution eventually? (you / to come up with)
  3. \_\_\_\_\_ all the orders properly? - Yes, he \_\_\_\_\_ to finish an hour ago. (he / to carry out, to manage)
  4. How many events \_\_\_\_\_ in charge of so far this spring? (your sister / to be)
  5. I'm sorry, I \_\_\_\_\_ the task on time, but I have been working a lot lately. (not / to complete)
  6. Look out! The floor is moist and slippery, I \_\_\_\_\_ there. (just / to fall)
  7. Peter \_\_\_\_\_ utterly devastated after the tragedy. I'm glad he \_\_\_\_\_ it now. (to be, already / get over)
  8. Remember how stressed out you \_\_\_\_\_ at your first audition? Now you \_\_\_\_\_ in the theatre for 6 years! (to be, to work)
  9. She \_\_\_\_\_ to Japan but now she \_\_\_\_\_ back. (to go, to come)
  10. The gale \_\_\_\_\_ several trees in Harley Street, so we have to use Green Street to get to your college. (to blow down)
  11. Their single \_\_\_\_\_ up the charts last year. (to blast)
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