

1. Present Perfect или Past Simple? Повторите тему!!!

My family and I (move) from London to Cardiff last summer, so we (live) in Cardiff for seven months now. I miss my friends in London. My best friend is called Megan. We (meet) at primary school, so I (know) her for nine years. Unfortunately, I (not see) her since last summer. I go to Greystone Secondary School in Cardiff. I (be) at the school since last September. At first I (not like) it because I (not have) any friends here. But the students in my class are really nice and I'm happy here now.

2. Read about five people talking about something they have/haven't done so far. What period of time is each of them talking about?

all his (her) life / today / this week / this month / this year

What exactly have / haven't they done so far?

a. Matt I've spent about thirty hours on the internet so far this week. I'm really into it. I usually go on about 9.00 in the evening after dinner and things, and probably stay on until about one, two in the morning. The rest of my family are all in bed, but I can't sleep until really late.

b. Josie I haven't watched any TV so far this week – I don't own a television. I hate television – it's really bad for you.

c. Richard I've had three computers in my life so far. The first one was really funny – it was a little box with a really small screen. It didn't have email or the internet or anything – but it was the most expensive of all my computers.

d. Belinda I haven't written any letters so far this year, I don't think... no, I don't think so. Nobody writes letters these days, do they? I always send emails or cards if it's a birthday or something personal.

e. Jessica I don't know how many books I've read so far this year... too many to count. I've read five books this week so far. I usually read about seven or eight in a week. I love reading. If I really like a book, I might read it five or six times.

3. Read the text and do the following tasks (читая текст, выписывайте незнакомые слова с транскрипцией и переводом).

The President of the United States

Do you want to be President of the United States of America? May be you can apply for the job. Answer these three questions. Are you a United States citizen? Are you 35 years old or older? Have you been a resident of the United States for 14 years or longer? Did you say “yes” to all three questions? Then you can take the first steps to the White House.

You become president for a term. A term is four years. You can only serve two terms. This means that you can only be president twice. This became law in 1951. Before that, the law was different. In fact, Franklin D. Roosevelt became president in 1933. He was president for 12 years. No one was president longer than he was.

As President of the United States, you earn \$200,000 a year. You also get an extra \$50,000 for expenses, tax free. You have your own limousine, jet, and housekeepers, all free. You also live rent free, in the White House in Washington, D.C. And you are head of the richest country in the world. Presidents of the United States are very different people. 22 were lawyers, 4 soldiers, 4 farmers, 4 teachers, 2 writers, 2 businessmen, 1 tailor and one actor. 8 of them did not have a college education!

3a. Match the words from the table to the words and expressions in italics. Translate the sentences into Russian.

term, earn, resident, a limousine, serve, U.S. citizen, expenses, in fact

1. To be president, you must be *a person who lives* in the United States for 14 years.
2. To be president, you must be *a person whose country is the United States*.
3. You become president for *a fixed period of time*.
4. A president can only *work* for two terms.
5. You also get \$ 50,000 to *pay* for *other things you need*.
6. When you are president you *make* \$ 200,000 a year.
7. As president, you get free use of *an expensive car with a driver*.
8. Before 1951 you could be president for more than 8 years. *In truth*, Franklin D. Roosevelt was president for 12 years.

3b. Think and answer

1. Can you apply for the job of president of the United States of America? Prove it.
2. Who can become President of the Russian Federation?