

EXERCISES

14.1 Are the underlined parts of these sentences right or wrong? Correct the ones that are wrong.

- 1 I've lost my key. I can't find it anywhere.**RIGHT**....
- 2 Have you seen the news on television last night?**WRONG: Did you see**....
- 3 I've bought a new car. Do you want to see it?
- 4 I've bought a new car last week.
- 5 Where have you been yesterday evening?
- 6 Jenny has left school in 1991.
- 7 I'm looking for Mike. Have you seen him?
- 8 I'm very hungry. I haven't eaten anything today.
- 9 Diane hasn't been at work yesterday.
- 10 When has this book been published?

14.2 Make sentences from the words in brackets. Use the present perfect or past simple.

- 1 (it / not / rain / this week)**It hasn't rained this week.**....
- 2 (the weather / be / cold / recently) The weather
- 3 (it / cold / last week) It
- 4 (I / not / read / a newspaper yesterday) I
- 5 (I / not / read / a newspaper today)
- 6 (Ann / earn / a lot of money / this year)
- 7 (she / not / earn / so much / last year)
- 8 (you / have / a holiday recently?)

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

- 1 I don't know where Amy is.**Have you seen**... (you/see) her?
- 2 When I (get) home last night, I (be)
very tired and I (go) straight to bed.
- 3 Your car looks very clean. (you/wash) it?
- 4 George (not/be) very well last week.
- 5 Mr Clark (work) in a bank for 15 years. Then he gave it up.
- 6 Molly lives in Dublin. She (live) there all her life.
- 7 '..... (you/go) to the cinema last night?' 'Yes, but it
..... (be) a mistake. The film (be) awful.'
- 8 My grandfather (die) 30 years ago. I
- 9 I don't know Carol's husband. I (never/meet/him).
- 10 A: Is your father at home? B: No, I'm afraid he (go) out.
A: When exactly (he/go) out? B: About ten minutes ago.
- 11 A: Where do you live? B: In Boston.
A: How long (you/live) there? B: Five years.
A: Where (you/live) before that? B: In Chicago.
A: And how long (you/live) in Chicago? B: Two years.

14.4 Write sentences about yourself using the ideas in brackets.

- 1 (something you haven't done today)**I haven't eaten any fruit today.**....
- 2 (something you haven't done today)
- 3 (something you didn't do yesterday)
- 4 (something you did yesterday evening)
- 5 (something you haven't done recently)
- 6 (something you've done a lot recently)