

4B GRAMMAR present perfect or past simple? (1)

a Write sentences in the present perfect.

1 you / ever eat / octopus

Have you ever eaten octopus?

2 I / never fly / in a helicopter

3 she / ever be / late for work

4 Luke / not answer / my messages

5 she / meet / a lot of famous people

6 we / never be / to South America

7 she / win / a lot of prizes for her novels

8 you / ever lose / a credit card

9 I / never work / in a shop or a restaurant

10 you / ever sell / something on eBay

b Complete the conversations with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 A ¹ *Have you ever been* (ever / be) to the USA?
 B Yes, I ² _____. I ³ _____ (go) to New York last summer.
 A I ⁴ _____ always _____ (want) to go to New York! ⁵ _____ you _____ (enjoy) it?
 B Yes, I ⁶ _____ (have) a great time.
 A What ⁷ _____ (be) your favourite places?
 B I really ⁸ _____ (love) Central Park and Fifth Avenue.



- 2 A ⁹ _____ you _____ (hear) this band?
 B Of course I ¹⁰ _____! They're my favourite band.
 A Really? ¹¹ _____ you _____ (ever / see) them in concert?
 B Yes, I ¹² _____ (see) them at Wembley last month.
 A Lucky you! ¹³ _____ (be) it a good concert?
 B It was amazing! They were fantastic.

