

Present Perfect Progressive (Present Perfect Continuous) Story 2

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Who are they? What have they been doing?

Nick has been playing the game of marbles since he was 5 years old. He likes to play marbles. He plays with the other kids. He also teaches other kids how to play the game.

Lately, he has been teaching Brian how to play marbles. He has been teaching Brian all the rules of the game. He has been teaching Brian how to win.

Brian is Nick's friend. Recently, he has been learning to play marbles. He has been wishing to play the game for many years. The past few days, his friend, Nick, has been teaching him how to play marbles. It is a fun game.

Present Perfect Progressive Story 2 – Exercises

A. Answer the following questions. Use the Present Perfect Progressive tense.

1. How long has Nick been playing the game of marbles?

2. Lately, whom has Nick been teaching to play marbles? What has he been teaching him?

3. What has Brian been learning recently?

B. Rewrite the following sentences as negative sentences, yes/no questions, WH-questions (using the underlined word or phrase) and tag questions.

Examples for the sentence "Walter has been washing the car for 30 minutes."

Negative: Walter has not been washing the car for 30 minutes.

Yes/No Question: Has Walter been washing the car for 30 minutes?

WH-Question: Who has been washing the car for 30 minutes?

Tag Question: Walter has been washing the car for 30 minutes, hasn't he?

1. He has been teaching Brian how to play marbles.

Negative: _____

Yes/No Question: _____

WH-Question: _____

Tag Question: _____

2. He has been teaching Brian how to win.

Negative: _____

Yes/No Question: _____

WH-Question: _____

Tag Question: _____

3. He has been learning to play marbles.

Negative: _____

Yes/No Question: _____

WH-Question: _____

Tag Question: _____

C. Rewrite the story using contractions.

Present Perfect Progressive Story 2 – Answers

A. Answer the following questions. Use the Present Perfect Progressive tense.

1. How long has Nick been playing the game of marbles?

Nick has been playing the game of marbles since he was 5 years old.

2. Lately, whom has Nick been teaching to play marbles? What has he been teaching him?

Lately, Nick has been teaching Brian to play marbles. He has been teaching him all the rules of the game. He has also been teaching him how to win.

3. What has Brian been learning recently?

Recently, Brian has been learning how to play marbles.

B. Rewrite the following sentences as negative sentences, yes/no questions, WH-questions (using the underlined word or phrase) and tag questions.

1. He has been teaching Brian how to play marbles.

Negative: He has not been teaching Brian how to play marbles.

Yes/No Question: Has he been teaching Brian how to play marbles?

WH-Question: What has he been teaching Brian?

Tag Question: He has been teaching Brian how to play marbles, hasn't he?

2. He has been teaching Brian how to win.

Negative: He has not been teaching Brian how to win.

Yes/No Question: Has he been teaching Brian how to win?

WH-Question: Who has been teaching Brian how to win?

Tag Question: He has been teaching Brian how to win, hasn't he?

3. He has been learning to play marbles.

Negative: He has not been learning to play marbles.

Yes/No Question: Has he been learning to play marbles?

WH-Question: What has he been learning to play?

Tag Question: He has been learning to play marbles, hasn't he?

C. Rewrite the story using contractions.

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Lately, he's been teaching Brian how to play marbles. He's been teaching Brian all the rules of the game. He's been teaching Brian how to win.

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