

# I haven't moved yet.

**1 Warm Up Work with a partner.**

- Where do you live? Would you like to move?

**2 Reading Read and fill in the spaces.**

**Sarah** I <sup>1</sup>..... you moved to a new flat.  
**Tom** Actually, I haven't moved yet. But I've already found a new place.  
**Sarah** Really? So where are you moving to?  
**Tom** I'm moving into the city - not far from you!  
**Sarah** Seriously? So what's the new place <sup>2</sup>.....?  
**Tom** Well, it's really <sup>3</sup>....., and the rent is pretty cheap too.  
**Sarah** Great! So have you started packing yet?  
**Tom** Yeah, I have. But I haven't finished. I have so much junk.  
**Sarah** Well, let me know if you need <sup>4</sup>.....!  
**Tom** Thanks – I will!



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**3 Language Work Rearrange the sentences and write them in the language box.**

## Yet and Already

<p><b>Already</b></p> <p>① .....</p> <p>② .....</p>	<p><b>Yet</b></p> <p>③ .....</p> <p><b>Yes I have. / No I haven't.</b></p>
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- 1) found new have I a place already
- 2) already have packing started I
- 3) you packing started have yet

**4 Practice #1 Write questions using 'yet'.**

- 1) Bob / get home Has Bob got home yet? .....
- 2) you / have dinner .....
- 3) your brother / do his homework .....
- 4) Susan / finish the report .....

**5 Practice #2 Write sentences using 'already'.**

- 1) Tom / reserve a table Tom has already reserved a table. ....
- 2) we / wash the dishes .....
- 3) the film / start .....
- 4) I / read / that book .....

**6 Do you remember? Fill in the spaces. Use the vocabulary hints to help you.**

<b>Sarah</b>	I heard you moved to a new flat.	
<b>Tom</b>	Actually, I ..... yet. But I ..... already ..... a new place.	<i>move</i> <i>find</i>
<b>Sarah</b>	Oh right. So where ..... to?	<i>move</i>
<b>Tom</b>	I'm moving into the city - not far from you!	
<b>Sarah</b>	Seriously? So what's the new place like?	
<b>Tom</b>	Well, it's really spacious, and the rent is pretty cheap too.	
<b>Sarah</b>	Great! So ..... yet?	<i>start / pack</i>
<b>Tom</b>	Yeah, I have. But I ..... I have so much junk.	<i>finish</i>
<b>Sarah</b>	Well, let me know if you need a hand!	
<b>Tom</b>	Thanks – I will!	

**7 Your Turn Role-play**

Work with a partner. Imagine that you are moving. What things have you already done? What things have you not done yet? Look at the list below for some ideas.

- find a new flat
- sign the contract
- contact a removals company
- buy some new furniture
- tell everyone your new address
- have a housewarming party

**KEY**

already done

not done yet

# I haven't moved yet.

## Teaching Notes

<b>Target Structure:</b>	Yet and Already
<b>Vocabulary:</b>	General (British English)
<b>Level:</b>	Elementary
<b>Time:</b>	45 minutes
<b>Preparation:</b>	None

### Suggested Teaching Method

- 1 The first exercise introduces the topic. Students can ask and answer in pairs. Don't spend too much time here.
- 2 Follow the instructions. Students should first read the conversation, and fill in the blanks with a word from below. After students have checked their answers in pairs, go through the answers, and have students practise the conversation with a partner. Encourage the students to look up and make eye contact with each other when speaking.
- 3 Have students work alone and check in pairs. Provide additional grammar explanation, as necessary.
- 4/5 Students can work alone, and check in pairs.
- 6 Students should not refer to the original conversation. Only some of the words are given as hints to the right of the conversation.
- 7 Go through the list of tasks, checking understanding.  
  
Demonstrate with a confident student. Assign pairs and have students role-play. Monitor, but try not to interrupt. Make notes on errors – particularly with the target structures – and go through the errors after the role-plays, eliciting correction.

The answer key is on the next page.

## Answer key (Other answers may be possible.)

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- 1) heard
  - 2) like
  - 3) spacious
  - 4) a hand

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| <p><b>Already</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) I have already found a new place.</li> <li>2) I have already started packing.</li> </ol> | <p><b>Yet</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3) Have you started packing yet?</li> </ol> |
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- 2) Have you had dinner yet?
  - 3) Has your brother done his homework yet?
  - 4) Has Susan finished the report yet?

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- 2) We have already washed the dishes.
  - 3) The film has already started.
  - 4) I have already read that book.

- 6
- Sarah** I heard you moved to a new flat.

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**Sarah** Oh right. Where **are you moving** to?

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**Sarah** Well, let me know if you need a hand!

**Tom** Thanks – I will!

## How are we doing?



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