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## QT-ESL Podcast No. 55.2

### Self-Test 11 for Podcasts 51 to 55 Part 2

Hi! I'm Marianne Raynaud from QualityTime-ESL. You are going to do Part 2 of Self-Test 11. Don't forget the best way and right way to do this self-test is not to stop the recording. If you are not satisfied at the end, you can go back and do the self-test again. Remember to speak before I give the right answer and mark a point, if your answer is correct.

#### **PART 2 (Total Points: 20)**

##### **Example No. 1 (Points: 4)**

*We will pretend you can't hear very well. I will give you some information. And you will ask a question because you haven't understood all of the information.*

*I say: I've been here for half an hour.  
You ask: How long have you been here?*

*I say: We've been married since last year.  
You ask: How long have you been married?*

*Now you go on in the same way.*

He arrived in our town three months ago.  
When did he arrive in our town?  
I finished the report two days ago.  
When did you finish the report?

We have lived here since August.  
How long have you lived here?  
We have been renting for two years.  
How long have you been renting?

##### **Example No. 2 (Points: 2)**

*I say: I moved here three years...  
You say: I moved here three years ago.*

*I say: We bought this house six months...  
You say: We bought this house six months ago.*

*Now you go on in the same way.*

He got an email from her two days...  
He got an email from her two days ago.

I caught sight of her a minute...  
I caught sight of her a minute ago.

##### **Example No. 3 (Points: 4)**

*I say: Three hours - I have been working...  
You say: I have been working for three hours.*

*I say: October 1<sup>st</sup> - He has lived here...  
You say: He has lived here since October 1<sup>st</sup>.*



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*Now you go on in the same way.*

Five years - I have studied English...  
I have studied English for five years.  
Two o'clock - She has been waiting...  
She has been waiting since two o'clock.

Six months - He arrived in our town...  
He arrived in our town six months ago.  
September - I've had this job.  
I've had this job since September.

**Example No. 4 (Points: 4)**

*Listen to the examples.*

*I say: half an hour - And I ask: How long have you been here?*

*You answer: I've been here for half an hour.*

*I say: last year - And I ask: How long have you been married?*

*You answer: We've been married since last year?*

*Now you go on in the same way.*

Two days - When did you finish the report?  
I finished the report two days ago.  
August - How long have you lived here?  
We have lived here since August.

Three months - How long have you been renting?  
We have been renting for three months.  
Last year - How long have you been here?  
We've been here since last year.

**Example No. 5 (Points: 6 – 1/3 of a point for each answer)**

*I will say a verb and you will give the simple past tense. Listen to the examples.*

*I say: Add*

*You say: Added (/dId/)*

*I say: Ask*

*You say: Asked (ed=/t/)*

*Now you go on in the same way. (The stressed syllables are in bold.)*

<b>Believe</b> → believed (ed=/d/)	Look → looked (ed=/t/)	<b>Study</b> → studied (died=/dId/)
Call → called (ed=/d/)	Provide → provided (ded=/dId/)	Switch → switched (ed=/t/)
<b>Carry</b> → carried (ed=/d/)	Push → pushed (ed=/t/)	Test → tested (ted=/tId/)
<b>Create</b> → created (ted=/tId/)	Pull → pulled (ed=/d/)	Want → wanted (ted=/tId/)
<b>Invest</b> → Invested (ted=/tId/)	<b>Schedule</b> → scheduled (ed=/d/)	Watch → watched (ed=/t/)
Live → lived (ed=/d/)	Stop → stopped (ed=/t/)	Work → worked (ed=/t/)

***That is the end of part 2 of self-test 11. Now count the number of points you got for the two parts. There is a maximum of 40 points. If you think you did well, write down your score. If you are not satisfied, you can do the test again. Or go back and do the previous episodes once more. Bye for now and don't forget to keep smiling!***