



Glenn: Dude, **how long have we been friends?**

Michael: Um, gee... We've been friends since 2005, I guess. That's when I came to Tokyo.

Glenn: 2005? Wow, then you've been here for 6 years.

Michael: Yeah. Say, **how long have you lived here?**

Glenn: I've lived and worked here for 10 years.

Michael: **Have you worked in other places in Japan?**

Glenn: **Yes, I have.** I worked in Osaka from 2001 to 2007.

Michael: How was it?

Glenn: The food was great!

Useful Phrases:

How long have you...?

...since <time> / ...for <amount of time>

Have you...?

Yes, I have. / No, I haven't.

How was it?

It was...

Practice:

Answer the questions using "since" or "for" if necessary.

1. A: Where do you live?

B: _____

A: How long have you lived there?

B: _____.

2. A: Who is your best friend?

B: _____

A: How long have you been friends?

B: _____.

3. A: Where do you work/study?

B: _____

A: How long have you worked/studied there?

B: _____.

4. A: Have you lived in other places in Japan/Taiwan?

B: _____.

A: How was it?

5. A: Where are you now?

B: _____.

A: How long have you been there?

B: _____.