



Paco visits Scotland and Wales: Towards the Highlands



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Present Perfect Continuous

AFFIRMATIVE:

Paco has been willing to see Loch Ness

NEGATIVE:

Paco hasn't been willing to see Loch Ness

INTERROGATIVE:

Has Paco been willing to see Loch Ness?



-ing spelling

1- work- working

2- live- living

3- stop- stopping

(4- study- studying)



Stative verbs

- **Express a state or condition**
- **Cannot take an -ing form**
- **Example: to know**



Comparing verb tenses

PRESENT PERFECT SIMPLE	PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS	PAST SIMPLE
I have visited Scotland	I have been visiting Scotland	I visited Scotland

The Present Perfect Simple and Continuous are similar. They connect past and present. The P. P. Continuous cannot express a state or condition. It emphasizes the duration or progress. Past Simple: finished complete actions.



Pronunciation of *have* and *has*

Weak

As auxiliaries:

*Paco **has** been reading leaflets*

Strong

In isolation or as full verbs:

*Yes, I **have**.*

*I **have** a computer.*