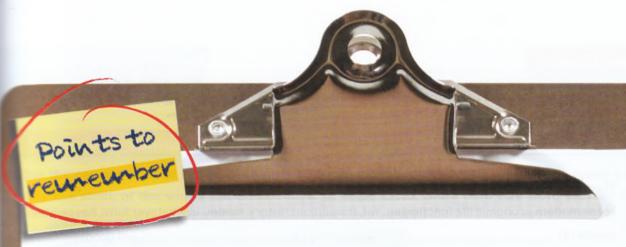
Grammar Revision (Tenses)

See Grammar Review page 147

A				ach blank with one word. All miss	ing
				ave, has, had, do, does, did etc.).	TU Maniamina
				ved a lot since last year. You see, befo	
that I (2) I					THE REAL PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NAMED IN COLUMN
1 (3)	-	beginning	to feel rather bored. I (4)	
ge	tting re	ady to apply fo	r another job wher	one day my boss called me into her c	office. "Our company
(5) planning to			_ planning to expa	nd overseas," she said. "We (6)	thinking of starting
wi	th Spair	n, therefore we	will (7)	needing some of our	best employees to support our new
bra	anch th	ere. (8)	you	think you would be interested in a trar	nsfer?" Naturally I accepted, although at
the time I (9)			no	not know that they (10) also going to promote me	
to	assista	nt manager.			
Ву	the end	d of this month,	I will have (11)	living in Madr	id for a year. You can't imagine how
ex	citing n	ny life (12)		become.	
1			for while	yet still when ago alrea	
•				favourite dish because I (want) to surprise her.	
	200000	NEST ESTE			
			Sile	(come) into the k	itchen, she couldn't believe her eyes!
2	Jim:	Mum, I		(look) for my black belt	the past hour and
				(not find) it.	you
			(see)	it anywhere?	
	Mother: No, but I think you		k you	(lend) it to your brother about a week	
	Jim: Oh, you're right. He		jht. He	(not give) it back to me	e. I bet he (wear
	it all week. Where is he now, Mum?				
	Mothe	r: I'm afraid Ma	rk		(leave).
		He	(0	get) up about an hour before you	(do).
3	1		(work) on th	is project	this morning but
	I (not finish) it		. What a	. What am I going to tell my boss?	



- My sister loves cats. ✓
 She loves cats. ✓
 My sister she loves cats.
 (Only one subject in each sentence.)
- There is a book on the table.
 It is Susan's.
 (Use there when mentioning sth for the first time.
 Use it for sth already mentioned.)
- They don't have a car. ✓ (have = own)
 They haven't got a car. ✓ (have got = own)
 They don't have got a car.
 They haven't a car.
- He has a bath every morning. ✓ (have = take)
 He doesn't have a bath every morning. ✓
 He has got a bath every morning.
- James didn't use to smoke so much. ✓ James didn't used to smoke so much. (did/didn't + bare infinitive)
- I do speak French. ✓ (emphasis)
 He does eat snails. ✓
 They did buy a house. ✓
 We did saw the thief.
 (do/does/did + bare infinitive)

- She has gone to Italy. (She is still there.)
 She has been to Italy. (She has returned.)
- I bought this bike two years ago. ✓ (Past Simple + ago)
 I have bought this bike two years ago.
 I bought this bike two years before.
 I have had this bike for two years. ✓ (Present Perfect + for)
 I have this bike for two years.
 I have had this bike since 1998. ✓ (Present Perfect + since + time)
 I have had this bike since I was sixteen. ✓ (Present Perfect + since + Past Simple)
 I have had this bike since two years ago.
 (Only one time word in each sentence.)
- I haven't studied for a week. (refers to the past: The last time I studied was a week ago.)
 I have to study for a week. (refers to the future: I must study for a week before I do sth else.)
- I haven't eaten spaghetti for six months.
 ✓
 I have to eat spaghetti for six months.

Key Transformations

- I have never been to Malta before.
 It is the first time I have ever been to Malta.
- I had never been to Malta before.
 It was the first time I had ever been to Malta.
- When did he start working? How long has he been working? How long is it since he started working?
- The last time I saw her was a year ago. I last saw her a year ago. I haven't seen her for a year. It has been a year since I last saw her. It is a year since I last saw her.