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Motivational question

What have you accomplished in your life? What have you felt proud about?



Find out different ways in which you can express your personal accomplishments. This is an B1 level competence, according to the Common European Framework of Reference for languages (http://www.coe.int/t/dg4/linguistic/source/framework_en.pdf page 24).

Key words:

Have, has, accomplishments, already, just, yet.



- How to express accomplishments. Knowledge.
- How to express achievements in 1st person.
- How to express achievements in 3rd person.
- Useful expressions (already)
- Useful expressions (yet)
- Useful expressions (just)
- Conclusion
- References



Accomplishments

We use the present
perfect to share personal
accomplishments



1st person (I/you/we/they)

Affirmative: I **have won** some contests.

Negative: We **haven't participated** in any tournament.

Interrogative: **Have you been** part of an important project?



3rd person (he/she/it)

Affirmative: He **has won** some contests.

Negative: She **hasn't participated** in
any tournament.

Interrogative: **Has he been** part of an
important project?



It is used for affirmative and interrogative sentences.

Already

I have **already** won 3 medals

Has she **already** finished her thesis?



It is used for negative sentences.

Yet

I haven't won any medal **yet**

She hasn't finished her thesis **yet**



It is used for affirmative and interrogative sentences.

Just

I have **just** won a medal

Has he **just** finished her thesis?



Julia Fiona Roberts, born in Smyrna, Georgia, never **dreamed** she would become the most popular actress in America. As a child, due to her love of animals, Julia originally **wanted** to be a veterinarian, but later **studied** journalism. When her brother, Eric Roberts, **achieved** some success in Hollywood, Julia **decided** to try acting.

The movies **has introduced** her to a new audience who instantly **fell** in love with this pretty woman. Julia's biggest success **has been** in the movie Pretty Woman (1990)

Julia has gotten a lot of Oscar nominations and also **has won** the People's Choice award for Favorite Actress. With My Best Friend's Wedding (1997) **Julia has given** the genre fresh life that had been lacking in Hollywood for some time.

Julia has also become involved with UNICEF charities and **has made** visits to many different countries, Julia is one of the most popular talents in Hollywood.



Hello Heather,

How are you doing? I was thinking that it is June already! And I **have** accomplished some things so far. **I have already finished** my thesis but **I haven't started** my English course yet.

How about you? **Have you accomplished all what you have wanted** so far? And how is Brian doing? **Has he sold** his car?

Hope to hear from you soon.

Love,

Anna



When you want to express your accomplishments you can say:

- I have won so many different awards.
- He has already bought the car that he wanted.
- She has just gotten a diplome.
- They haven't given their best yet.



- English online course. Taken from the URL:
<http://www.english-online.org.uk/course.htm>

- The grammar aquarium. Taken from the URL:
<http://perso.wanadoo.es/autoenglish/freeexercises.htm>



Thank you!



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