

Present Perfect or Simple Past

1. Complete the table.

<u>Simple present</u>	<u>Present perfect</u>	<u>Simple past</u>
waste	has/have wasted	
take		took
clean		
know		
fill		

2. Fill in the gaps to transform each sentence from present perfect to simple past.

Jacob and Dan have thrown the rubbish away.

Jacob and Dan _____ the rubbish away.

Year 4 have shown the school their class project in assembly.

Year 4 _____ the school their class project in assembly.

Fill in the gaps to transform each sentence from simple past to present perfect .

Olivia _____ her friend Freya at the ice rink.

Olivia saw her friend Freya at the ice rink.

The pirate _____ the treasure chest on the island.

The pirate found the treasure chest on the island.

3. Isaac has written the sentence below:

I lighted a candle at the church altar.



My sentence is in the simple past tense.

Is Isaac correct? Explain your answer.