

## Passive Present Perfect

A woman catches up with a man at her old workplace.

### Advanced English - Sound Grammar

C1 Lesson 10 Conversation 4



**Part 1:** Listen to the conversation and answer the questions.

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|---|-----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------------|
| a | She was in the neighborhood | a | She has been transferred to HR | a | He is still in sales                    |
| b | To say hello to everyone    | b | She has left the company       | b | VP of sales                             |

**Part 2:** Complete the blanks with the missing word. Use the first letter as a clue.

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| <b>Man:</b> Maria, welcome back. It's so nice to see you <b>a</b> _____.                                                                                             | 1  |  |
| <b>Woman:</b> Thanks. I <b>w</b> _____ in the neighborhood, so I thought I would stop by and say hello to <b>e</b> _____.                                            | 2  |  |
| <b>Man:</b> Well, sadly some of the <b>p</b> _____ you used to work with have been <b>l</b> _____ go.                                                                | 3  |  |
| <b>Woman:</b> Oh, that is <b>t</b> _____ bad. I see that Katie is still here, though. That is <b>g</b> _____ to see.                                                 | 4  |  |
| <b>Man:</b> Yes, she's <b>b</b> _____ transferred to HR.                                                                                                             | 5  |  |
| <b>Woman:</b> Oh, that's good. What <b>a</b> _____ Bob over there?                                                                                                   | 6  |  |
| <b>Man:</b> Oh, Bob, yeah, he's done alright for <b>h</b> _____. He's been promoted to VP <b>o</b> _____ sales.                                                      | 7  |  |
| <b>Woman:</b> Well, it's good to see that some things have been <b>f</b> _____ the better. Yes, we've been downsized a <b>b</b> _____, but we're still going strong. | 8  |  |
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**Answer Key**

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| <b>Man:</b> Maria, welcome back. It's so nice to see you <b>again</b> .                                                                                       | 1  | <b>again</b>    |
| <b>Woman:</b> Thanks. I <b>was</b> in the neighborhood, so I thought I would stop by and <b>say hello to everyone</b> .                                       | 2  | <b>was</b>      |
| <b>Man:</b> Well, sadly some of the <b>people</b> you used to work with have been <b>let</b> go.                                                              | 3  | <b>everyone</b> |
| <b>Woman:</b> Oh, that is <b>too</b> bad. I see that Katie is still here, though. That is <b>good</b> to see.                                                 | 4  | <b>people</b>   |
| <b>Man:</b> Yes, <b>she's been</b> transferred to HR.                                                                                                         | 5  | <b>let</b>      |
| <b>Woman:</b> Oh, that's good. What <b>about</b> Bob over there?                                                                                              | 6  | <b>too</b>      |
| <b>Man:</b> Oh, Bob, yeah, he's done alright for <b>himself</b> . He's been promoted to <b>VP of sales</b> .                                                  | 7  | <b>good</b>     |
| <b>Woman:</b> Well, it's good to see that some things have been <b>for</b> the better. Yes, we've been downsized a <b>bit</b> , but we're still going strong. | 8  | <b>been</b>     |
|                                                                                                                                                               | 9  | <b>about</b>    |
|                                                                                                                                                               | 10 | <b>himself</b>  |
|                                                                                                                                                               | 11 | <b>of</b>       |
|                                                                                                                                                               | 12 | <b>for</b>      |
|                                                                                                                                                               | 13 | <b>bit</b>      |

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