Lesson 1

RED NOSE DAY: Funny for money!

Trace écrite

Key facts – Red Nose Day



- Comic Relief ***has organised*** Red Nose Day since 1988.
- It ***has become*** one of the UK's biggest fundraising events.
- It ***has raised*** over £1.5 billion to help people in need in the UK and abroad.
- Millions of people ***have taken part*** in fun activities, such as bake sales, challenges and comedy shows.

PRL – The present perfect

1 Form

have / has + past participle

- *I **have organised** a bake sale.*
- *She **has donated** to the charity.*

2 Past participle

Le participe passé se forme :

- soit avec le verbe + ***-ed*** (verbes réguliers) : organise → ***organised,***
- soit avec la 3e **colonne** des verbes irréguliers : take → ***took*** → ***taken.***

3 Use

- An **experience** (no date):
  *I **have taken** part in Red Nose Day.*
- The result of an action (up to now):
  *Comic Relief **has raised** over £1.5 billion since 1988.*

4 Time markers

- ***ever*** : déjà (question)
- ***never*** : jamais
- ***since + date*** : depuis
- ***for + durée*** : pendant
- ***yet*** : encore (question / négation)
- ***already*** : déjà (affirmation)