

Conjunctions



1: Complete each sentence with the correct conjunctions:

(because, but, or, and, so, although)

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- I will work very hard _____ I can pass the exam.
 - Tim went to the store ___ bought some packets of chips
 - Paul is not _____ good as Jim at mathematics
 - I was very hungry ___ I missed my breakfast
 - ___ I started early, I could not reach the venue on time
 - He went to the shop ___ didn't buy anything

2: Complete the sentences with the correct pairs of conjunctions:

- The pizza was _____homemade, _____ very delicious (not only.... but also, such....that)
- I plan to visit Mauritius _____ in March _____ in May (no sooner....than ,either...or)
- My brother likes to play _____piano and _____ guitar (as....so, both....and)
- Do you know _____ Mike ___ James is coming for swimming? (either...or, whether...or)
- _____ Ryan _____ his brother can speak German fluently (whether...or, either...or)
- Tina is not _____ good ___ Jim at swimming (either...or, so.....as)
- I would _____ buy a luxury car _____ a sports car (so...as, rather...than)



3. Complete the sentences with the correct subordinate conjunctions (until, when, even if, that, where, before, because)

- a. It is surprising _____ you didn't come to the picnic.
- b. Mike felt proud _____ he won the match.
- c. We cannot go to the party _____ the car arrives.
- d. We could not go to the party _____ my sister was sick.
- e. This is the place _____ I usually come to spend some time alone.
- f. I will be going to the party _____ it rains.
- g. My best friend went to the party _____ I did.

4. Mark the conjunctive adverb in the following sentence.

(Ex. The food was stale, therefore, the guests fell sick.)

- a. Nik did not study; hence he failed the exam.
- b. You can start making the vegetables. Meanwhile, I will cook the eggs.
- c. I really loved the puppy. However, my mom does not allow pets.
- d. My gardener spends a lot of time working on our garden; therefore, our house has the most beautiful garden in our lane.
- e. Rina got 50 presents for her birthday. Nevertheless, she was not happy.

5. Identify the dependent and independent clauses in the following sentences:

- a. Although it was sunny, Maria went for a hike.
- b. After the earthquake, the family moved into a shelter home.
- c. When you finish your task, please take Tommy out for a walk.
- d. Before the meeting, Julien decided to eat a quick lunch.
- e. Fiona left home at 5pm since she had to drive a long way to reach the venue.

