

Coordinating and Subordinating Conjunctions

Grammar Drill Pack

Focus: Choosing the right conjunction to link ideas — five short drills to lock in **Coordinating and Subordinating Conjunctions**.

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1 · Rules

- Use 'and' to add two similar ideas.
- Use 'but' to show contrast between ideas.
- Use 'or' to present alternatives.
- Use 'because' to give a reason.

2 · Signal words

and but or because so although

Tip: These words often flag **Coordinating and Subordinating Conjunctions** — spot them, then choose the form.

3 · Gap-fill drill

Write the correct form of **Coordinating and Subordinating Conjunctions** in each gap.

- I wanted to go for a walk, _____ it started to rain.
- She likes tea _____ coffee.
- Tom studied hard _____ he passed the exam.
- We can watch a movie _____ play a board game.
- He was tired _____ he kept working.
- I stayed home _____ I was feeling sick.

4 · Error correction

Each sentence has one mistake in Coordinating and Subordinating Conjunctions. Rewrite it correctly.

- 1 ~~I like apples oranges.~~
- 2 ~~She was late but the bus broke down.~~
- 3 ~~He can play football and basketball.~~
- 4 ~~It was raining, because we stayed inside.~~
- 5 ~~Because it was cold, we went swimming.~~
- 6 ~~You can have tea, or you cannot have coffee.~~

5 . Mini-quiz

Choose the correct option (A-D).

- 1 Choose the correct conjunction: I was hungry ___ I ate a sandwich.
(A) so (B) but (C) because (D) or
- 2 Choose the correct conjunction: She didn't go to the party ___ she was tired.
(A) because (B) and (C) or (D) so
- 3 Choose the correct conjunction: You can call me ___ send me an email.
(A) or (B) but (C) so (D) because
- 4 Choose the correct conjunction: He studied hard ___ he failed the test.
(A) but (B) so (C) and (D) or
- 5 Choose the correct conjunction: It is sunny, ___ we will go to the beach.
(A) so (B) because (C) although (D) but
- 6 Choose the correct conjunction: ___ it was raining, we went for a walk.
(A) Although (B) Because (C) So (D) And