



Connectives




I am happy

She is sad

I am happy

but

she is sad

-  Coordinating conjunctions
-  Subordinating conjunctions
-  Conjunctive adverbs

coordinating conjunctions

I am happy

~~She is sad~~

coordinating conjunctions

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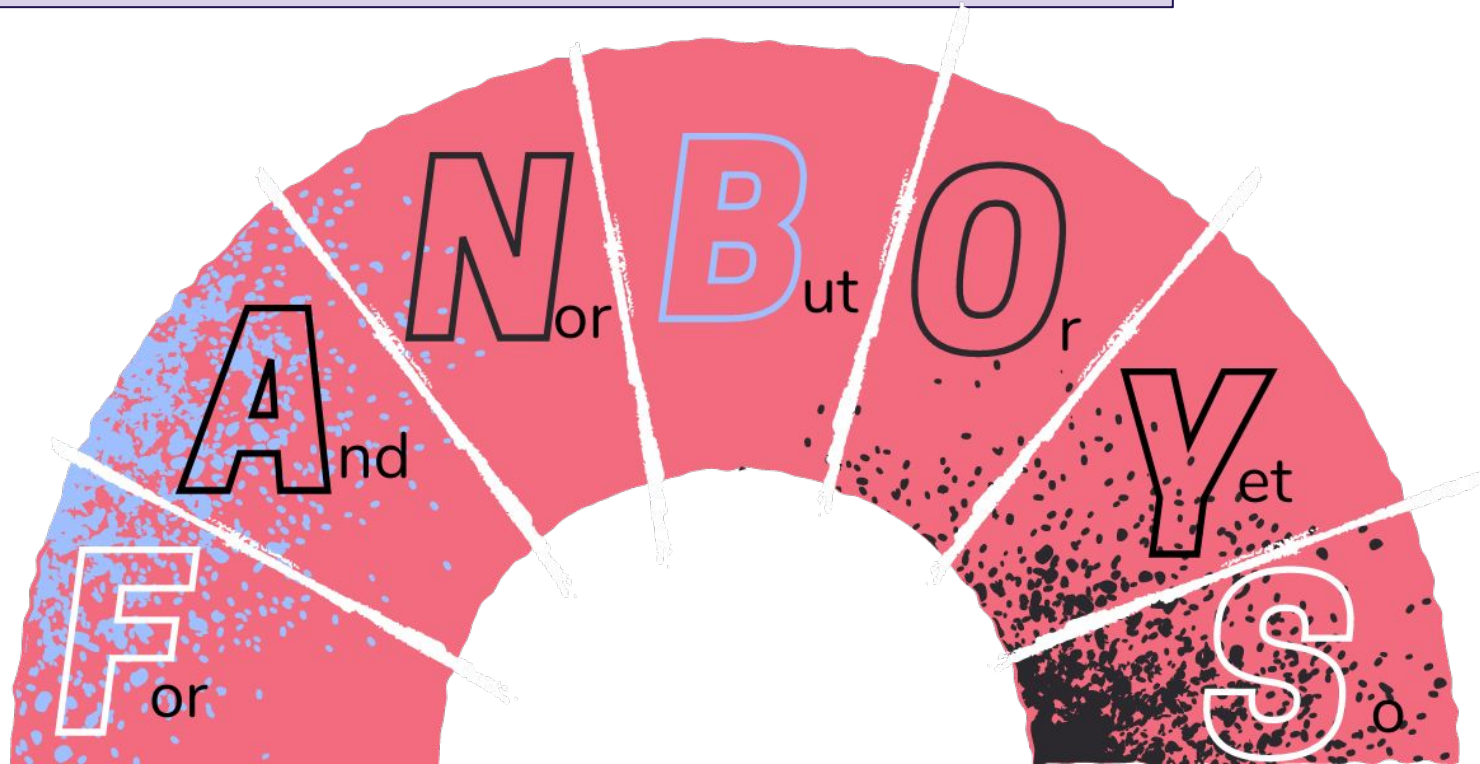
coordinating conjunctions

I am happy

She is sad



coordinating conjunctions



coordinating conjunctions

I am happy

but

she is sad

coordinating conjunctions

She is

tall

and

pretty



coordinating conjunctions

My dog is small

My dog is cute

coordinating conjunctions

My dog is small

and

My dog is cute

coordinating conjunctions

My dog is small

and

~~My dog is~~ cute

coordinating conjunctions

My dog is small.

And

my dog is cute.

subordinating conjunctions

-  Dependent clause
-  Independent clause

subordinating conjunctions

Clause

I am happy.

subject verb

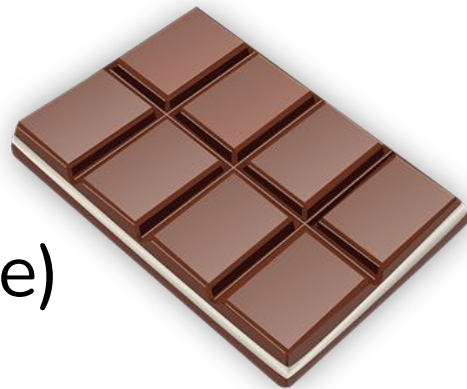
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Independent clause

I am happy.



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Dependent clause (subordinate)

because I ate some chocolate







subordinating conjunctions



I am happy

because I ate some
chocolate

subordinating conjunctions

-  As
-  Because
-  In order (that)
-  Since
-  So (that)
-  That

reason

subordinating conjunctions

 After

 As soon as

 As long as

 Before

 By the time

 Now (that)

 Once

 Since

 Till/ Until

 When

 Whenever

 While

time

subordinating conjunctions

time

I saw my sister

while

I was in town

subordinating conjunctions

-  Where
-  Wherever

place

subordinating conjunctions

place

Is that the church

where

we got married?

subordinating conjunctions

 Assuming that

 Even if

 If

 In case (that)

 In the event that

 Lest

 Only (if)

 Provided that

 Supposing

 Unless

condition

subordinating conjunctions

condition

Unless

you do your
homework

we won't go to the
party

subordinating conjunctions

- ✎ Although
- ✎ Even though
- ✎ Though

concession

subordinating conjunctions

concession

Although

the film was
long

we watched it all

subordinating conjunctions

- ✎ As if
- ✎ As though
- ✎ How

manner

subordinating conjunctions

manner

I explained

how

to use conjunctions

subordinating conjunctions

I explained **how** to use conjunctions
Although the film was long, we watched it all
Is that the church **where** we got married?

conjunctive adverbs








I failed my
exam.

Therefore,

I cannot progress
to the next level.



conjunctive adverbs

-  Additionally
-  Also
-  Besides
-  Further(more)
-  In addition
-  Moreover
-  Too

Addition

conjunctive adverbs

Addition

The house
was huge;

additionally,

there was a
swimming pool

conjunctive adverbs

- Accordingly
- As a result
- Consequently
- Hence
- Subsequently
- Then
- Therefore
- Thus
- To this end

Logic
Cause-effect

conjunctive adverbs

I failed my
exam.

As a
result,

I cannot progress
to the next level.



conjunctive adverbs

- After
- First (of all) / firstly
- Following this
- Last
- Last but not least
- Next
- Second (of all)/ secondly
- Then

Sequence

conjunctive adverbs

Sequence

I will do my
exam.

Following
this,

I will enrol in the
next course.



conjunctive adverbs

- ✎ Also
- ✎ Comparably
- ✎ Equally
- ✎ In the same way
- ✎ Likewise
- ✎ Similarly

Comparison

conjunctive adverbs


Comparison

I am bad at
maths.

Likewise,

my best friend is
not so good.

conjunctive adverbs

-  Granted
-  However
-  Instead
-  Nevertheless
-  On the other hand
-  Rather
-  Regardless
-  Still

Contrast

conjunctive adverbs










Contrast

I like
oranges;

however,

I prefer apples

conjunctive adverbs

-  For example
-  For instance
-  For one thing
-  Illustrated by
-  In other words
-  Namely
-  Specifically
-  Such as
-  That is

Example

conjunctive adverbs










Example

I like fruits.

For
example,

bananas, apples,
grapes ...

conjunctive adverbs

-  All in all
-  Clearly
-  In brief
-  In conclusion
-  In summary
-  It seems
-  Overall
-  To summarise
-  To conclude

Summary

conjunctive adverbs

Summary

(talk about
grammar)

All in all,

English grammar is
difficult!



conjunctive adverbs

-  Again
-  Anyway
-  Certainly
-  Indeed
-  Moreover
-  Of course
-  Regardless
-  Specifically

Emphasis

conjunctive adverbs

Emphasis

I need some
more food.

Certainly,

some more fruit!

conjunctive adverbs

I like fruits. **For example**, bananas, apples, grapes...
I am bad at maths. **Likewise**, my best friend is not good.
I failed my exam; **therefore**, I cannot progress ...

subordinating conjunctions

conjunctive adverbs

Although

the film was
long

we watched it all

subordinating conjunctions

conjunctive adverbs

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subordinating conjunctions

conjunctive adverbs

I like
oranges.

However,

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conjunctive adverbs

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Practice 1

Choose the correct answer to complete the sentences.

Connectives

I've been saving up _____ buy her a birthday present.

- a) Although
- b) Assuming that
- c) In order to

Connectives

I've been saving up _____ buy her a birthday present.

- a) Although
- b) Assuming that
- c) In order to**

Connectives

I think we should sign a contract _____ you change your mind.

- a) In case
- b) Besides
- c) For instance

Connectives

I think we should sign a contract _____ you change your mind.

- a) **In case**
- b) Besides
- c) For instance

Connectives

She wanted to paint her bedroom _____ it wasn't so girly.

- a) For one thing
- b) Furthermore
- c) So that

Connectives

She wanted to paint her bedroom _____ it wasn't so girly.

- a) For one thing
- b) Furthermore
- c) So that**

Connectives

You should take an umbrella with you _____ it rains.

- a) Granted
- b) However
- c) In case

Connectives

You should take an umbrella with you _____ it rains.

- a) Granted
- b) However
- c) In case**

Connectives

I will start a diet on Monday _____ I can lose weight

- a) So that
- b) First
- c) hence

Connectives

I will start a diet on Monday _____ I can lose weight

- a) **So that**
- b) First
- c) hence

Connectives

He phoned the ambulance _____ she was having a heart attack.

- a) In brief
- b) Because
- c) Indeed

Connectives

He phoned the ambulance _____ she was having a heart attack.

- a) In brief
- b) Because**
- c) Indeed

Connectives

_____ it's so lovely today, we should go out for a walk.

- a) Illustrated by
- b) As
- c) In other words

Connectives

_____ it's so lovely today, we should go out for a walk.

- a) Illustrated by
- b) As**
- c) In other words

Connectives

She is the best candidate by far, _____ she should get the job.

- a) Therefore
- b) Likewise
- c) Once

Connectives

She is the best candidate by far, _____ she should get the job.

- a) **Therefore**
- b) Likewise
- c) Once

Connectives

We do have a motorcycle, _____ we don't use it very often.

- a) It seems
- b) Second
- c) Although

Connectives

We do have a motorcycle, _____ we don't use it very often.

- a) It seems
- b) Second
- c) Although**

Connectives

She looks so good _____ she doesn't do exercise and eats unhealthy food!

- a) Even though
- b) Similarly
- c) Overall

Connectives

She looks so good _____ she doesn't do exercise and eats unhealthy food!

- a) **Even though**
- b) Similarly
- c) Overall

Connectives

I work really hard _____ my husband is pretty lazy

- a) Whereas
- b) Lest
- c) Certainly

Connectives

I work really hard _____ my husband is pretty lazy

- a) **Whereas**
- b) Lest
- c) Certainly

Connectives

We were so late to the wedding _____ the terrible traffic

- a) All in all
- b) Anyway
- c) Due to

Connectives

We were so late to the wedding _____ the terrible traffic

- a) All in all
- b) Anyway
- c) Due to**

Connectives

_____ arrive on time at work, I need to wake up at 6am.

- a) After
- b) Even though
- c) In order to

Connectives

_____ arrive on time at work, I need to wake up at 6am.

- a) After
- b) Even though
- c) In order to**

Connectives

We offer 600 channels to our customers. _____, there is a free and quick customer help service.

- a) In conclusion
- b) In addition
- c) For example

Connectives

We offer 600 channels to our customers. _____, there is a free and quick customer help service.

- a) In conclusion
- b) In addition**
- c) For example

Connectives

On the one hand, your grade wasn't terrible. _____, it wasn't great either.

- a) Equally
- b) Comparable
- c) On the other hand

Connectives

On the one hand, your grade wasn't terrible. _____, it wasn't great either.

- a) Equally
- b) Comparable
- c) On the other hand**

Connectives

Pollution has risen in our city _____ increased congestion.

- a) As a result of
- b) Furthermore
- c) Namely

Connectives

Pollution has risen in our city _____ increased congestion.

- a) **As a result of**
- b) Furthermore
- c) Namely

Connectives

She was sitting her exam. _____, I grabbed a coffee from the café next door.

- a) Meanwhile
- b) Provided that
- c) Second

Connectives

She was sitting her exam. _____, I grabbed a coffee from the café next door.

- a) **Meanwhile**
- b) Provided that
- c) Second

Connectives

You'll be safe _____ you follow all the guidelines and safety instructions.

- a) Indeed
- b) How
- c) As long as

Connectives

You'll be safe _____ you follow all the guidelines and safety instructions.

- a) Indeed
- b) How
- c) **As long as**

Connectives

I have lived in my home town all my life. _____, it's time to move on and I'll be moving to another country next month.

- a) Nevertheless
- b) In order that
- c) Where

Connectives

I have lived in my home town all my life. _____, it's time to move on and I'll be moving to another country next month.

- a) **Nevertheless**
- b) In order that
- c) Where

Connectives

The rabbits are so cute. _____, they wouldn't get on well with our pet dog.

- a) However
- b) While
- c) Once

Connectives

The rabbits are so cute. _____, they wouldn't get on well with our pet dog.

- a) **However**
- b) While
- c) Once



Practice 2

Complete the sentence using your own ideas.

The rain is extremely
heavy so ...



I won't go to the shops
today but ...



In my house I have a
bathroom and ...



Today we could go
shopping or ...



I'm very tired but ...



I don't like chicken nor ...



You are such a good
friend, for ...



I think that ...



I am learning English
because ...



I am always sad
whenever ...



Every day I brush my
teeth before ...



While I watch TV, I ...



I won't buy a new house
since ...



You called me as ...



I would go to town with
you if only ...



We can start dating now
that ...



I'll wait with you until ...



Rather than go to the
cinema, let's ...



Because it's so cold
outside today ...



We really want this new
house, however ...



I have some healthy
habits, such as ...



I have ... hair; similarly ...



I have ... eyes; in contrast

...



This TV is very affordable;
furthermore



I have a headache,
otherwise ...



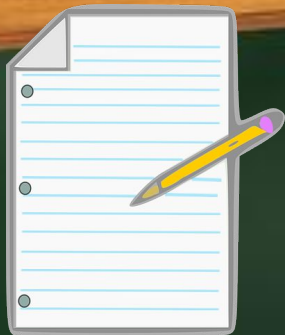
The sun is out, still ...



REVIEW



Connectives



HOMEWORK

COMPLETE THE QUIZ

Link: <https://virtually-fluent.com/quizzes/connectives-quiz/>