

# COORDINATING CONJUNCTIONS

## CONJUNCTIONS

## MEANINGS

## EXAMPLES

- **FOR** • **Because** • I have to find a new job, for I am unemployed.
- **AND** • In addition to • Please calm down, Let's wait and see.
- **NOR** • **And not** • Neither my parents, nor my friends supported me.
- **BUT** • However • I have got a home, but I haven't got a car.
- **OR** • **Either** • Does Clark have any brothers or sisters?
- **YET** • But • He says nice words, yet you don't trust him.
- **SO** • **Therefore** • My daughter is very smart, so everybody likes her.

# CONJUNCTIONS

after	if	the...the
although	if...then	therefore
and	in case	though
as	in order that	till
as if	just as....so	unless
as long as	lest	until
as soon as	neither....nor	what
as though	no sooner....than	whatever
as....as	nor	when
barely....when	not only....but also	whence
because	now that	whenever
before	only	where
both....and	only if	whereas
but	or	wherever
by the time	or else	whether
cum	otherwise	whether....or
either....or	rather....than	which
even if	scarcely....when	whichever
even though	since	while
ever since	so	who
every time	so that	whoever
for	so....that	whom
hardly....when	still	whose
how	than	why
however	that	yet



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## 4.- To show sequence

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BEGINNING	CONTINUING	CONCLUDING
First, To start with, To begin with, First of all,  ...close all doors and windows	Secondly, After this/that, Then, Next,  ...call the fire brigade	Finally, Lastly, Last but not least,  ...make sure everyone's out

# To Show Time / Sequence

<b>immediately</b>	<b>suddenly</b>	<b>thereafter</b>
<b>soon</b>	<b>At this time</b>	<b>finally</b>
<b>later,</b>	<b>previously</b>	<b>formerly</b>
<b>then</b>	<b>first (second)</b>	<b>Next</b>
<b>subsequently</b>	<b>afterwards</b>	<b>Later on</b>

E.g.: I **immediately** did my homework when I arrived home. **Then**, I watched a movie and **subsequently** I wrote an article about it.

## COMPARISON

similarly  
comparable  
in the same way  
likewise  
as with  
equally  
just as ...so too

## SUMMARY

in short  
on the whole  
in other words  
to be sure  
clearly  
anyway  
in sum  
after all  
in general  
it seems

MAKE YOUR SENTENCES MORE INTERESTING!  
USE SOME LINKING WORDS!

I am happy **AND** excited.

I am happy **FOR** your achievement.

I am happy **BUT** nervous.

I am happy **WHEN** it's sunny.

I am happy **DESPITE** the rain.

I am happy **BECAUSE** it's Friday.

I am happy **EVEN THOUGH** I'm tired.

# To Add

<b>And (then)</b>	<b>Again</b>	<b>What is more</b>
<b>also</b>	<b>in addition</b>	<b>Moreover</b>
<b>further</b>	<b>furthermor e</b>	<b>too</b>
<b>Firstly, secondly</b>	<b>next,</b>	<b>Lastly, finally</b>

E.g.: Smoking cigarettes is usually the main cause of chronic bronchitis. **In addition**, it can produce lung cancer and **also** emphysema.

SENTENCES	CONJUNCTIONS
assertive	that
exclamatory	that
optative	that
imperative	to / not to
interrogative	if / whether
wh- questions	who
	what
	where
	when
	whom
	whose
	which
	why
	how