Compound Sentences

A compound sentence is formed when **two simple sentences** are joined by a conjunction such as: **and, but, or**. A **comma** is placed before the conjunction in the sentence.

Read each sentence and then choose if the sentence is a compound sentence or not a compound sentence.

1. Jack finished all the math problem, but he got them all wrong.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

2. The hostess walked us to our table, and she gave us some menus.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

3. Do you want green peppers, or do you prefer broccoli.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

4. The girls and boys were at the party dancing.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

5. They did not have soup, but they did have salad.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

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6. He does not ski, but he does skate.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

7. The fisherman caught many fish, but there are too small.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

8. Dennis ate the chicken and chips.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

9. The girl was wearing a red dress.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

10. Mrs. Victor did not know if to turn either left or right.

compound sentence | **not a compound sentence**

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