



UNIT 5 – GRAMMAR #2 WORKSHEET

NAME: _____ DATE: _____

But as a contrast

My sister takes a taxi to the mall, **but** my brother rides his bike.

Use **but** to show contrast between two ideas in a sentence.

1 Read. Circle **and** or **but**.

1. Maya wants to go in a helicopter, **and** / **but** Dave does, too.
2. I don't take the subway very often, **and** / **but** my mom takes it every day.
3. I want to stay on the bus, **and** **but** the driver says we must get off.
4. I go downhill fast, **and** **but** Robert does, too.
5. My brother has a motorcycle, **and** **but** I have a scooter.

2 Read. Write **but** when necessary. If **but** is not necessary, put an X.

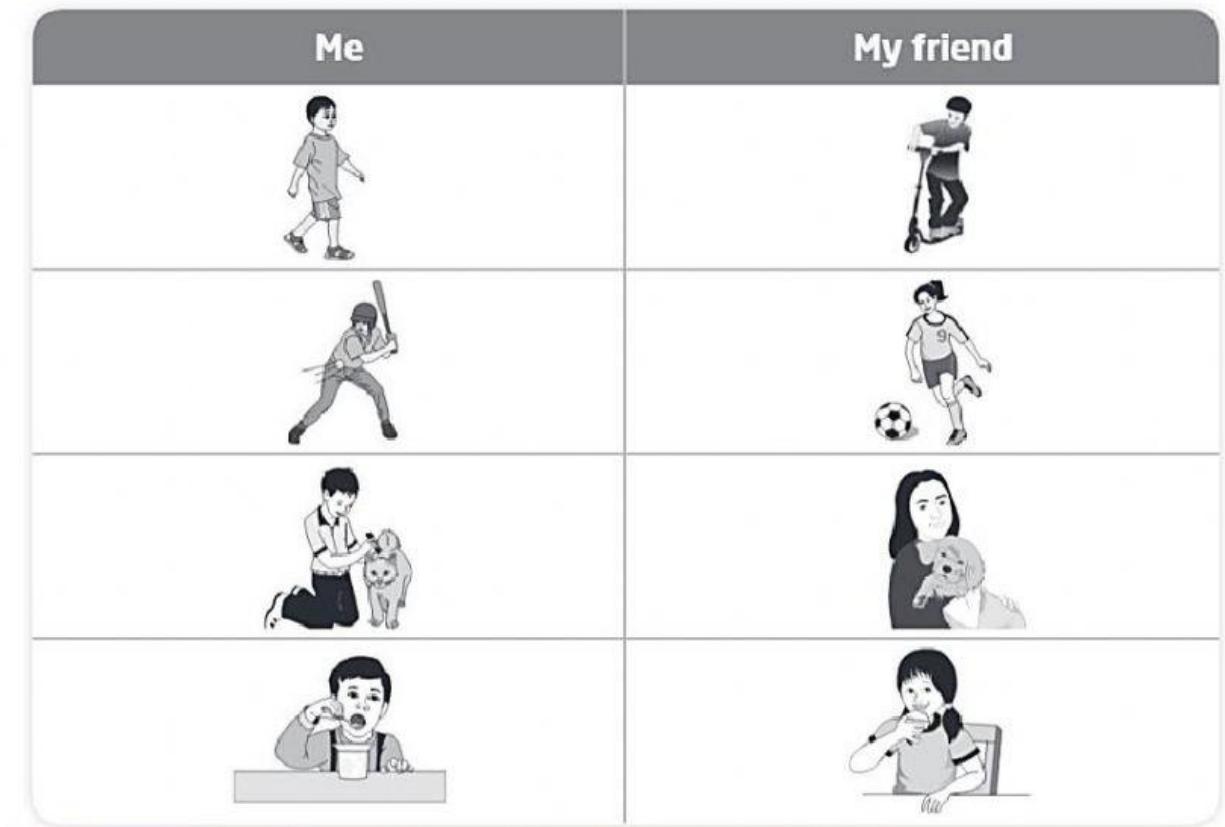
1. We like reading, _____ they like watching TV.
2. I have a red scooter, _____ and Jon has one, too.
3. Giraffes have long necks _____ and long legs.
4. I can walk to the zoo, _____ Jaime can't. He takes the subway.
5. The train is fast, _____ the bus is slow.

3 Write. Tell what's different.

1. A motorcycle is big, **but a scooter is small** _____ (a scooter)
2. My scooter has two wheels, _____ (our car)
3. My dad takes the subway, _____ (mom / bus)
4. Sandra rides her bike at the park, _____ (walk my dog)



4 **Look and write.** Complete the sentences with *but*.



1. I walk, .
2. I play baseball, .
3. I have a cat, .
4. I eat yogurt, .

5 **Write.** Write four sentences about friends and family. Use the words in the box and *but*.

be eat go have like want wear

I am young, but my grandfather is old.
