

Grammar

COORDINATING CONJUNCTIONS

Definition:

IELTS use:

FANBOYS:

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Homework

▶ Exercise 1. Circle 2-syllable words with first stressed one

Most of the courses at Canterbury College only take up four days of the week, leaving one day free for independent study. The atmosphere at the College is that of an adult environment where a relationship of mutual respect is encouraged between students and tutors.

▶ Exercise 2. Circle 2-syllable words with second stressed one

Representatives from each area of study form the Student Representative Council (SRC) which allows every student a say in Union affairs. The SRC also belongs to the National Union of Students which represents the interests of students nationally. The Union also arranges and supports entertainments, sporting activities and trips.

▶ Exercise 3. Fill in the blanks with learnt words

What are the advantages of studying a distance learning course?

For many people, especially mature students who work, (1)..... is the ideal way to study. There are several (2)..... that immediately come to mind. Firstly, the

cost is far less than it would be to attend a college or university with their high tuition fees. Secondly, you can study anywhere and in your own time and at your own pace. Some students, myself included, find that this (3).....of learning suits them better than sitting in lectures. You do have to be self-motivated to keep up with the coursework though, and you still get (4).....to write and sometimes a (5)....., but you can fit these around your daily life. Thirdly, there's a huge range of online courses available these days so you can take almost any subject you want to and even study for a (6)..... qualification this way.



Exercise 4. Fill in the blanks

I would like to talk about my last school year. It was really difficult due to enormous amounts of homework. I had to prepare for all the exams (1) I studied hard. I managed to set aside some time to rest (2) interact with my friends (3) family. After all, my efforts were not in vain, I passed all the exams (4)I was admitted to Yale University.