

### Rewrite the sentence

1. My sister can swim well. She can't play badminton. (but)
2. Hanh goes to that French restaurant every week. She loves French food. (so)
3. He was tired last night. He stayed up late to watch a football match. (although)
4. I don't like this TV programme. It's so boring. (because)
5. My mum went to Hue last month. His mum went to Hue last month, too. (and)
6. He was lazy, so he got a bad mark. ("because")
7. It rained hard yesterday. I went to school on time. ("although")
8. Lan is more beautiful than all girls in her class. (most)
9. Daisy has to do her homework. She is very tired. ("Although")

### Rewrite the sentence with so and because

1. They couldn't help you. They were not here  
(because) They couldn't help you because they were not here  
(so) They were not here, so they couldn't help you
2. I can't go out. It's raining  
(because) .....  
(so).....
3. We haven't got any food. We are going shopping  
(because) .....  
(so).....
4. There was fog. Their flight was delayed  
(because) .....  
(so).....
5. The film was boring. We decided to go home  
(because) .....  
(so).....
6. I couldn't do this exercise. I asked Tom for help  
(because) .....  
(so).....

### Choose the correct answer to fill in the blank

1. - A: Would you like to drink a cup of tea \_\_\_\_\_ coffee? - B: Coffee, please.  
A. and B. or C. although D. but
2. My brother plays volleyball well \_\_\_\_\_ I do not.  
A. and B. but C. or D. although
3. Most people like watching comedy \_\_\_\_\_ it's very entertaining.  
A. because B. so C. although D. but
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Minh likes sport programs, he watches this animal program with his family.  
A. Because B. Although C. and D. but
5. The film is very interesting. It's both moving \_\_\_\_\_ funny.  
A. and B. or C. although D. but
6. I have to go out, \_\_\_\_\_ I cannot watch television with my family tonight.  
A. but B. so C. although D. or
7. We decide to go out \_\_\_\_\_ it's raining heavily.  
A. though B. so C. because D. but
8. \_\_\_\_\_ she knows that watching too much TV is a bad habit, she watches less TV than she did before.  
A. Because B. Although C. or D. but
9. He runs very fast, \_\_\_\_\_ he is small.  
A. Although B. but
10. \_\_\_\_\_ she joined the company only a year ago, she's already been promoted twice.  
A. Although B. but
11. It's an expensive \_\_\_\_\_ very useful book.  
A. Although B. but
12. I'm sorry, \_\_\_\_\_ you can't smoke in here.  
A. Although B. but

### Fill in each blank with one of the conjunctions "and/ or/ but/ so/ because/ although" to complete the sentences.

1. Is her child a boy ..... a girl?
2. I forgot to bring the map, ..... I got lost.
3. He failed the examination ..... he didn't study hard.
4. Lien won the match ..... she was injured.
5. My new classmate is quite friendly ..... sociable.
6. I don't like watching films on TV ..... I like watching them at the cinema.
7. She likes watching cartoons ..... they are colorful and funny.
8. He helps his friends a lot ..... he is very busy.
9. Lan sings very well ..... she cannot sing in front of many people.
10. The movie was very boring ..... we went out to go shopping.

7 20.2 Rewrite the two sentences as one sentence using *so*. Then write them using *because*. Listen and check.

► I didn't have much money. I didn't buy the jacket.

- I didn't have much money, so I didn't buy the jacket.
- I didn't buy the jacket because I didn't have much money.

1 He ordered some water. He was thirsty.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

2 It was very noisy. They couldn't sleep.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

3 She cried. She cut herself.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

4 There was too much traffic. We arrived late.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

5 The teacher explained it again. No one understood it.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

13 20.3 Complete the dialogue with the correct connectors. Listen and check.

although and because but or so  
when while

Beth: Where were you yesterday?

Vicky: I had to go to the hospital because I hurt my foot.

Beth: How did you do that?

Vicky: It happened <sup>1</sup> I was coming home from the sports centre. There are no street lights on Sandy Lane, <sup>2</sup> it was really dark. There was a hole <sup>3</sup> I didn't see it. I tripped <sup>4</sup> fell over.

Beth: Ouch! So what happened next?

3 Complete each sentence so that it means the same as the first ones. Use *because*, *so*, *and*, *or*, *although* or *but*.

► It started snowing. We didn't go for a walk.

We didn't go for a walk because it started snowing.

It started snowing so we didn't go for a walk.

1 They had no bread in the shop. They had no milk either.

They had no bread <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

2 I told him about the exam. He didn't study at all.

He didn't study at all <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

I told him about the exam <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

3 Max doesn't eat healthy food. He doesn't do any exercise. He is slim.

Max doesn't eat healthy food <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ exercise, <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ slim.

4 20.1 Listen and match 1–10 with the sentence endings a–j.

- clean his teeth. \_\_\_\_\_
- I can play the drums. \_\_\_\_\_
- chips. \_\_\_\_\_
- I really liked it. \_\_\_\_\_
- didn't enjoy it. 1
- told her about the accident. \_\_\_\_\_
- couldn't find her. \_\_\_\_\_
- play the guitar. \_\_\_\_\_
- tea? \_\_\_\_\_
- it didn't taste nice. \_\_\_\_\_

Vicky: I couldn't walk <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ even stand up. There was no one else on the street, <sup>6</sup> I had to phone my parents.

Beth: Did they take you to the hospital?

Vicky: Yes. <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ we arrived at the hospital I had to wait for two hours. That was difficult <sup>8</sup> my foot was really hurting. Finally, they did an X-ray.

Beth: And what was the result?

Vicky: <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ it was very painful, the foot wasn't broken. They put a bandage on it <sup>10</sup> gave me crutches to walk with.

Beth: How do you feel now?

Vicky: It doesn't hurt too much now, <sup>11</sup> I can't walk <sup>12</sup> sit at a desk at the moment. So no school for me!

Beth: That's lucky, isn't it?