

## Common Coordinating Conjunctions in Compound Sentences (and, or, but, so)

Directions: Rewrite each of the following two sentences so they become one compound sentence by using a comma and a common conjunction.

*Example:*

The dog loves to go for walks. The dog does not walk fast.

The dog loves to go for walks, but he does not walk fast.

1. A small kitten followed me home. I gave it a bowl of milk. (so)

2. We were lost in the woods. My brother had a map in his backpack. (but)

3. Would you like to go to the movies? Would you rather stay home tonight?  
(or)

4. The girls were painting animal pictures. Katrina spilled the paint. (and)

5. Ivana's bicycle had a flat tire. She had to walk to the grocery store. (so)

6. The dog has won many prizes. He doesn't know many tricks. (but)