



# CONNECTORS

Choose the correct variant.

1. I think you should complain – *unless/if/for*, of course, you are happy with the way things are.
2. I still can't lose weight, *even though/despite/in spite* I've been exercising regularly.
3. They rushed to the hospital, *so that/in case/but* they were too late.
4. *However/Although/Thus* lack of sleep causes some problems, it has a relatively small effect on performance at work.
5. The book has no narrator or main character. *Consequently/Alternatively/Otherwise*, it is not interesting to read.
6. He fell sick and died *within/for/while* a week.
7. I can't leave her *whether/unless/on condition that* I know she's all right.
8. They diluted the drug, *as soon as/thus/because* reducing its effectiveness.
9. Some people visit their doctor once every few weeks, *on the one hand/eventually/while* others may not visit a doctor for several years.
10. The surface temperature on Venus is higher than the boiling point of water. Mars, *as a result/by contrast/just in case*, is very cold.
11. The Smiths bought this house in 1986 and have lived here *ever since/whenever/since*.
12. The region was extremely beautiful. *Nonetheless/At first sight/Thus*, Gerard could not imagine spending the rest of his life there.
13. We were delayed at the airport. *On the other hand/Otherwise/Just in case*, we would have been here by lunch time.
14. We cancelled the picnic *because/because of/as long as* the weather.
15. *Unless/Despite/Owing to* a lack of funds, the project will not continue next year.
16. Look, *whether/suppose/so long as* you lost your job tomorrow, what would you do?
17. Prisoners can only leave their cells *just in case/nonetheless/under certain circumstances*.
18. Most people will get better on their own, *whether or not/both and/either or* they receive medical treatment.
19. Anyone can join the course, *on top of/ provided /in order* that there is space available.
20. *As long as/Unless/Otherwise* you can find a computer or any other gadget, you can access an internet-based bank account wherever you are.