**but, and, because** are **joining words or connectives.**

They join sentences together.

They also join ideas in a sentence.

Select one of these words to join each pair of sentences. Write it on the line.

| **but** | **and** | **because** |
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1. Patch was a very good dog when he was young. He didn´t grow up like a good dog.

Patch was a very good dog when he was young _____ he didn´t grow up like a good dog.

2. The dog found a bone with meat on it. He ran off with it.

The dog found a bone with meat on it _____ he ran off with it.

3. Patch looked over the bridge. He had such a shock!

Patch looked over the bridge _____ he had such a shock!

4. Patch was allowed to stay in the farm kitchen. He was so good.

Patch was allowed to stay in the farm kitchen _____ he was so good.

5. Patch ate all the dog biscuits from the bowls. He was still hungry.

Patch ate all the dog biscuits from the bowls _____ he was still hungry.

Organize the scrambled words and write on the line, so the sentence makes good sense.

1. _____

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