



## 2C GRAMMAR - TIME SEQUENCERS AND CONNECTORS

a Match the sentence halves with a line  and choose the correct word: *so, but, because, or although*.

- 1 The weather was awful,
- 2 I didn't give him my phone number
- 3 She didn't like the song,
- 4 It was her birthday,
- 5 He's an intelligent student,
- 6 I ran to the coffee shop
- 7 They didn't want to dance,
- 8 We didn't go anywhere special,
- 9 It was a sad story
- 10 We drove along the street very slowly,

- a I invited her to dinner.
- b it had a happy ending.
- c we couldn't find the house.
- d I didn't want him to call me.
- e it was by one of her favorite bands.
- f we had a wonderful evening.
- g we didn't go out.
- h I was in a hurry.
- i he's very lazy.
- j they left the club early.

b Complete the story with the time sequencers and connectors in the list.

although (x2)   because (x3)   but (x2)   the next day  
 one evening  
 so (x3)   suddenly   two minutes later   when

### Don't always listen to the GPS...

Oscar Perez never wanted a GPS \_\_\_\_\_ he didn't like technology. And \_\_\_\_\_ his brother gave him one as a birthday present, it directed him into a difficult situation.

"My brother Ricardo loves gadgets and technology. Last year he gave me a GPS for my birthday, \_\_\_\_\_ he knew I didn't really want one. Ricardo uses his GPS all the time \_\_\_\_\_ he likes listening to instructions, \_\_\_\_\_ I prefer using a map. \_\_\_\_\_, a friend of a friend called. She needed my help, \_\_\_\_\_ I agreed to drive to her house.

\_\_\_\_\_ I had a map in the car, I decided to use the GPS to find her town. It was dark, and I wanted to get there as quickly as possible. Everything was going fine. I was almost there, but then \_\_\_\_\_ I saw there was a small river on the left. I could see that there was a road that went through the water to the other side of the river. The GPS said 'Turn left!' \_\_\_\_\_ I followed the instructions and turned left into the water. The GPS said 'Go straight!' but \_\_\_\_\_, my car was completely stuck in the mud.

I had my cell phone with me, \_\_\_\_\_ called my friend and she came to the river to help. I felt terrible \_\_\_\_\_ she got very cold and wet in the water. \_\_\_\_\_, a tractor pulled my car out of the river, \_\_\_\_\_ it was completely ruined by the water. I can't believe I made such a stupid – and expensive – mistake!"