

## LINKERS OF CONTRAST

Look for information about the following linkers of contrast. Write their meaning next to them.

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| DESPITE:     | ALTHOUGH:    | NEVERTHELESS: |
| IN SPITE OF: | THOUGH:      | STILL:        |
| YET:         | EVEN THOUGH: | WHILE:        |
| BUT:         |              | WHEREAS:      |
|              |              | HOWEVER:      |

Now check how they are used (there are tons of tutorials in Youtube) and do the following exercises:

- \_\_\_\_\_ it was summer the nights were quite chilly.
- \_\_\_\_\_ his great qualifications he couldn't manage to find a job.
- The piece of wood hit the man on the head. \_\_\_\_\_, he wasn't injured.
- He is good at languages, \_\_\_\_\_ his brother is an athlete.
- I like hamburgers, I don't like pizza \_\_\_\_\_.
- Climbing that wall isn't impossible. There are, \_\_\_\_\_, some risks.
- \_\_\_\_\_ her age, she's still a very good worker.
- Jimmy can't read very well. \_\_\_\_\_ he is a skillful worker.
- Brian is good at languages \_\_\_\_\_ his brother can't even speak English.
- Janet is clever but she \_\_\_\_\_ finds some subjects difficult.
- \_\_\_\_\_ her qualifications she wasn't the right person for the job.
- She felt cold \_\_\_\_\_ she was wearing a winter coat.
- \_\_\_\_\_ feeling unwell, she went to school.
- I studied a lot, but I \_\_\_\_\_ failed the exam.
- He is allergic to cats, \_\_\_\_\_ he has one.
- He was very fast \_\_\_\_\_ being terribly overweight.
- \_\_\_\_\_ it was rainy, we put on our jackets and went for a walk.
- He is rich. \_\_\_\_\_, he leads a miserable life.
- Tom thinks we are ready to begin \_\_\_\_\_ Lisa thinks we have to wait.
- I'm not going out tonight. \_\_\_\_\_, I can see you tomorrow if you like.
- It's freezing cold. It's a lovely day, \_\_\_\_\_.

## LINKERS AND PHRASES

### SO / NEITHER

Before doing the exercises, check out the theory about it in here 

1. I'm not a very energetic person and \_\_\_\_\_ my brother.
2. We enjoy playing volleyball and \_\_\_\_\_ Margie,
3. He didn't pay any attention to his demands and \_\_\_\_\_ we.
4. She has never gone been in London and \_\_\_\_\_ her sister.
5. Tomorrow they are going to the new mall in our neighbourhood and \_\_\_\_\_ I.
6. When we arrived, Brian hadn't finished his dinner yet and \_\_\_\_\_ his parents.
7. By next year , I'll have finished school and \_\_\_\_\_ you.
8. I have never been abroad and \_\_\_\_\_ my sister.
9. The pizza was burnt and \_\_\_\_\_ the garlic bread.
10. I have never accepted a bribe form anyone and \_\_\_\_\_ my partner.