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Unit 1: Linking words

I. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate linking word.

1. It was raining. ……., we still went to the park. **(to conclude, such as, however)**
2. Cheating is dishonest. ……., it hinders students from learning. **(However, For example, Moreover)**
3. There are things that need to be done to improve the company. ……., we can begin by organizing the files. **(on the other hand, but, For instance)**
4. He was hungry;…….,he didn't demand food. **(However, for example, on the other hand)**
5. You must complete this essay by 5 p.m. ……., you must do the exercises on page 47. **(In addition, Nevertheless, For example)**
6. I have a few things to take care of ……. paying bills, cleaning the house, and going to the post office. **(to sum up, such as, in contrast)**

II. Complete the sentences with : so that, in order to, so as not to, because, because of, although, in spite of

1. We were very late for the concert ……. the terrible traffic.
2. We didn't go out ……it was raining.
3. The family paid the kidnappers a lot of money ……. their son would be released unharmed.

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4. Tom is learning German..... apply for a job in Germany
5. I'll send him an e-mail ..... tell him when we're coming.
6. .....it rained a lot we enjoyed our holidays.

III. Choose the correct answers:

1. ***As / As a result*** it was such a beautiful day, we decided to have a picnic.
2. It was his birthday ***because / so*** we decided to buy him a present.
3. ***As a result / Since*** all the seats on the train were taken, we had to stand.
4. The banks were closed and ***as a result / because*** we couldn't get any money.
5. I didn't find the book very interesting and ***so / as*** I didn't finish it.
6. We couldn't drive across the bridge ***as a result / because*** it was closed.
7. I haven't got much money ***as / so*** I can't afford a new car.

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