SIMPLE & COMPOUND SENTENCES

Exercise 1. Choose the correct answer.

1. My sister likes reading books, _____ she doesn't like watching TV.
   A. and B. but C. so D. or
2. We stayed at home, _____ it was raining heavily.
   A. but B. so C. for D. or
3. I wanted to go out, _____ it was raining heavily.
   A. but B. so C. and D. or
4. You can stay at home, _____ you can come with us.
   A. but B. so C. or D. and
5. She went to bed early, _____ she was very tired.
   A. and B. for C. but D. so
6. Tom studied hard, _____ he passed the exam.
   A. but B. or C. so D. and
7. Lan gets up early _____ goes jogging every morning.
   A. but B. and C. or D. so
8. We wanted to visit the museum, _____ it was closed.
   A. so B. and C. but D. or
9. Hurry up, _____ you will miss the bus.
   A. and B. but C. or D. so
10. Nam loves playing football, _____ his brother prefers basketball.
    A. so B. but C. and D. or

Exercise 2. Identify the sentence type.

Write **S** for Simple Sentence or **C** for Compound Sentence.

1. My mother cooks dinner every evening. _____
2. I like folk music, but my brother likes pop music. _____
3. The children are playing in the garden. _____
4. We wanted to go camping, but it started to rain. _____
5. Mai studies English every day. _____
6. He was tired, so he went to bed early. _____
7. My father works in a hospital. _____
8. You can take the bus, or you can walk to school. _____
9. They visited a traditional village last weekend. _____
10. I like this book, and my sister likes it, too. _____

Exercise 3. Combine the sentences using the word given.

1. I like reading books. My brother likes playing computer games.
   (**but**)
   → _____
2. Hoa studied hard. She got a good mark.
   (**so**)
   → _____
3. She didn't go out. She was feeling sick.
   (**for**)
   → _____
4. We can go by bus. We can go by bicycle.
   (**or**)
   → _____
5. Nam gets up early. He goes jogging every morning.
   (**and**)
   → _____
6. I wanted to buy that book. I didn't have enough money.
   (**but**)
   → _____
7. I went to bed early. I was very tired.
   (**for**)
   → _____

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8. It was raining. We stayed at home.
   (so)
   → _____
9. You can do your homework now. You can do it after dinner.
   (or)
   → _____
10. My mother likes cooking. My father likes gardening.
    (and)
    → _____

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