

## Listening: using joining words (conjunctions)

### Remember

- We use **and** to join two sentences which have similar ideas.

*They are Muslims **and** they pray five times a day.*

- We use **but** to join two sentences which have different ideas.

*She works part-time as a secretary **but** she wants a full-time job.*

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You will hear Mr Mahmood talking about himself and his family. Listen carefully to when he uses the 2 conjunctions **and** and **but**.

❖ Next listen to the audio again, use the pause button and type **and** or **but** in the spaces.



I come from Pakistan ..... now I live in the UK. It's very hard work ..... I enjoy it. My wife's name is Nasreen ..... she's a housewife. She enjoys making her own clothes ..... reading.

Kudzia was born in Pakistan ..... Maryam and Zahra were born here. We are Muslims ..... we pray five times a day. We have good neighbours ..... we all get on well together.

❖ Finally, listen again and check your work.