

UNIT 8: HOW THE TIGER GOT ITS STRIPES

GRAMMAR: CONJUNCTIONS (since, although, because)

Notes:

'since' is used to **explain cause and effect** something is happening.

'although' is used to **show contrast**. Usually written at the beginning of a sentence.

'because' is used to **show reason**.

Exercise 1: Complete the sentences below with the correct conjunctions.

1. _____ Anne was busy, she did not go out to play.
2. Andy is very tired _____ he did not sleep last night.
3. _____ Eric is poor, he always helps people in need.
4. Eliza did not buy the dress _____ it was too expensive.
5. _____ it was raining heavily, we went out to meet our friends.
6. _____ the traffic was heavy, I arrived late for my Taekwondo training.
7. Aaron Chia and Soh Woo Yik are very happy _____ they won the first bronze medal for Malaysia in Tokyo Olympic 2020.

8. _____ John was sick, he did not attend the party.

9. _____ Nora can sing well, she is too shy to enter the singing competition.