50 **Fill in each gap with one of the words in the box.**

A • except • apart • besides • but for • instead

1 If you don't want orange juice, I can make you a cup of tea .
2 ..... Sam's last-minute goal, we would have lost the match.
3 I like all green vegetables ..... from broccoli and spinach.
4 Everyone was silent ..... for Claire who was laughing.
5 ..... me, George and Alex will be there.

B • even if • even so • even though • only if

1 ..... I don't really like coffee, I sometimes drink it with my friends.
2 I will go to the concert, but ..... you come too.
3 Georgia's been to Istanbul three times on holiday. ....., she's happy to go there again.
4 ..... you hurry, you'll still be late.

C • so • but • and • or

1 I have to finish writing my essay, ... I can't go out tonight.
2 Hurry up ..... we'll be late!
3 I love playing football, ... I find it really boring to watch it on TV.
4 My favourite cuisines are Thai ..... Greek.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

D both ... and • not only ... but also • either ... or • neither ... nor • whether ... or

1 He's so lucky! ..... did he get a promotion, ... he ..... got a brand-new car!
2 I don't know ..... to buy this dress ..... not.
3 I've lived in ..... London ..... New York.
4 I have ..... the time ..... the energy to argue with you.
5 You can choose ..... the bracelet ..... the necklace, but not both.

E • in the event of • in spite of • in addition to • in case • in order (not) to

1 He keeps his glasses on a string around his neck ..... lose them.
2 Sally agreed to go to the party ..... not wanting to.
3 ..... a fire, use the stairs instead of the elevator.
4 ..... being a talented tennis player, Alex is also very good at football.
5 Take a bottle of water with you ..... you get thirsty.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

51 **Join or link the sentences using a suitable word or phrase from the following:**

Write the whole sentence • so • even though • as well as • whereas

1 It was cold outside. I wore a heavy coat.

2 He continued working. He was very tired.

3 Frank is very tall. His friends are quite short.

4 She is honest. She is hard-working.

LIVEWORKSHEETS