

Time linkers

<i>when</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>while</i>
<i>before</i>	<i>after</i>	<i>since till/until</i>
<i>whenever</i>	<i>as long as</i>	<i>by the time</i>
<i>as soon as</i>	<i>the moment that</i>	<i>no sooner...than</i>
<i>hardly...when</i>	<i>once</i>	<i>immediately</i>

1. Complete the sentences. Use each word once.

hardly...when, no sooner, until, while, as soon as, by the time, before, as long as, the moment that, whenever.

1. He drinks hot tea _____ he is ill.
2. _____ she gets home, she takes off her shoes.
3. I'll keep you secret _____ you keep mine.
4. They had bought two tickets _____ they went to the cinema.
5. I will have set the table _____ you come home.

6. Kate will write you _____, she gets her results.
7. The phone card ran out _____ she was speaking to her father.
8. We can't go _____ the taxi arrives.
9. _____ than I had opened the door, my friends jumped and surprised me.
10. We had _____ gone to bed _____ there was a knock at the door.

2. Make up a story about your last trip abroad using as many linking words as possible. Be ready to present it.