

**2** Do these pairs of sentences have exactly the same meaning? Write S (same) or D (different).

1 a Although Sharon quite enjoys musicals, she really prefers more serious drama.  
b Sharon quite enjoys musicals, but she really prefers more serious drama. S

2 a Asking for directions, Sam showed the farmer the map he'd been given.  
b Asked for directions, Sam showed the farmer the map he'd been given.   

3 a Brian continued to work long hours, in spite of being ill.  
b Even though he was ill, Brian continued to work long hours.   

4 a Chloe's father promised her a car, even though she didn't pass her final exam.  
b Chloe's father promised her a car, even if she didn't pass her final exam.   

5 a Despite searching everywhere, I didn't find the money.  
b I searched everywhere, but I didn't find the money.   

6 a Warning of storms ahead, the mountain guide led us back to the hostel.  
b Warned of storms ahead, the mountain guide led us back to the hostel.