

## LINKING WORDS OF CONTRAST

**Rewrite the sentences without changing their meaning.**

1. Although it was raining, they went to school.  
→ Despite
2. Although he was tired, he continued working.  
→ In spite of
3. Despite the cold weather, the children played outside.  
→ Though
4. Although she had a headache, she finished the homework.  
→ Despite
5. In spite of his old age, he runs very fast.  
→ Although
6. Even though the road was crowded, we arrived on time.  
→ Despite
7. Despite being ill, she went to class.  
→ Although
8. Although they studied hard, they didn't pass the test.  
→ In spite of
9. Despite the noise, I slept well.  
→ Although
10. Though he tried his best, he couldn't solve the problem.  
→ Despite
11. Despite living far away, she comes to school early every day.  
→ Although
12. Although the film was boring, we watched it until the end.  
→ In spite of
13. Despite their bad performance, they won the game.  
→ Although
14. Although I didn't understand the lesson, I didn't ask the teacher.  
→ Despite
15. In spite of her fear of heights, she climbed the mountain.  
→ Although