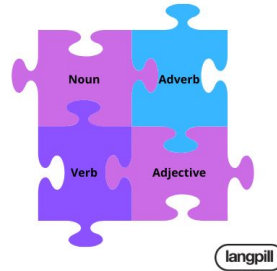


# PARTS OF A SENTENCE - CONJUNCTIONS



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### What are Conjunctions?

A conjunction is a word used to connect clauses or sentences

I have a dog. I have a cat.

I have a dog **and** a cat.

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### Types of Conjunctions

There are 3 main types of conjunctions.

**Coordinating**: joins words, phrases that are similar

**Subordinating**: show a relationship between two situations

**Correlative**: pairs of conjunctions used to join words, phrases that are similar

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### Types of Conjunctions: Coordinating

**Coordinating conjunctions** join words and phrases that are similar.

I like dogs. I like cats.

I like dogs **and** cats

The conjunctions can easily be remembered using the word FANBOYS (for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so)

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### Types of Conjunctions: Subordinating

**Subordinating conjunctions** show a relationship between two situations.

It was hot outside. The ice cream melted.

The ice cream melted since it was hot outside.

Since it was hot outside, the ice cream melted.

**Some common subordinating conjunctions are:** than, rather than, whether, as much as, whereas, that, whatever, which, whichever, after, as soon as, as long as, before, by the time, now that, once, since, till, until, when, whenever, while, though, although, even though

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### Types of Conjunctions: Correlative

**Correlative conjunctions** are pairs of conjunctions used to join words, phrases that are similar.

I don't like pizza. I don't like pasta.

I like **neither** pizza **nor** pasta.

Some common correlative conjunctions are: either...or, neither...nor, not only...but also

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### Examples

I want chicken. I want fish. (**either...or**)

I want **either** chicken **or** fish.

I don't like blue. I like red. (**but**)

I don't like blue, **but** I like red.

I ate carrots. I got sick. (**because**)

I got sick **because** I ate carrots.

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### Exercises

They play soccer. They play baseball. (**not only...but also**)

They **not only** play soccer **but also** play baseball.

It rained today. I got wet. (**so**)

It rained today **so** I got wet.

The dog jumps. The dog runs. (**and**)

The dog jumps **and** runs.

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