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| EX. A. Complete the following sentences using appropriate present perfect tense form1. The workers --------------------------- (paint) the walls. |  |
| 2. We | ------- (pay) our dues. |
| 3. She | ---------- (not do) anything wrong. |
| 4. Somebody - | ----------------- (steal) my purse. |
| 5.1 | --- (learn) the lesson. |
| 6. He -- | ---- (go) to the US. |
| 7. The sun | ---------- (rise). |
| 8. She ---- | -------- (finish) her meal. |
| 9. 1- | ---- (not hear) anything from them. |
|  | (never invite) us to their parties |
| EX. B. Change the following sentences into the past perfect tense. |  |

1. The boy took the money.
2. I waited for them.
3. We went to the market.
4. She did not answer the phone.
5. He made no attempt to escape.
6. They took the boy to the doctor.

## EX. C. Fill in the blanks using Future Perfect forms of the given verbs.

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1. He
``` \(\qquad\)
``` in front of local people. (beat)
2. They
``` \(\qquad\)
``` a cricket kit for their team. (buy)
3.
``` \(\qquad\)
``` they
``` \(\qquad\)
``` outside an office? (stand)
4. She
``` \(\qquad\)
``` into the shrubs in a forest. (hide)
5.
``` \(\qquad\)
``` have
``` \(\qquad\)
``` all the bills of this month. (pay)
6.
``` \(\qquad\)
``` she
``` \(\qquad\)
``` with her husband in the bedroom? (sleep)
7. He
``` \(\qquad\)
``` his car for over 800 kms . (drive)
8. Raghav
``` \(\qquad\)
``` his article for the newspaper. (write)
9. Poor children
``` \(\qquad\)
``` food by our foundation. (give)
10. We both
``` \(\qquad\)
``` at the college premises for a little
misunderstanding. (fight)
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## O. P. JINDAL SCHOOL, RAIGARH STUDY MATERIAL

| Class: VI | Conjunctions |
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## Subject: ENGLISH

Definitions: Conjunctions are words or groups of words that join two or more words, clauses, phrases, or sentences. Conjunctions are often referred to as linking words. We use conjunctions in our day-to-day life as they are one of the eight parts of speech. Conjunctions allow us to connect two sentences when we need to form a more complex sentence or when short sentences do not make complete sense by themselves or to convey our idea in simpler way.

## There Are 3 Major Types of Conjunctions

1. Coordinating conjunctions
2. Correlative conjunctions
3. Subordinating conjunctions

## 1. Coordinating conjunctions

This type of conjunction is used to connect grammatically equal words, phrases or two independent clauses. A conjunction of this type is placed between the items that it links together. Coordinating conjunctions can join two nouns, verbs, adjectives or other type of words. There are seven coordinating conjunctions in English. The mnemonic $\boldsymbol{F A N B O Y S}$ can be used to remember them: for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so

## EXAMPLE:

1. Rashmi and Radha are best friends.
2. I hate to waste electricity, for it is very expensive these days.
3. Rachel reached the station on time but the train was late.
4. Sona reached the office earlier $\underline{\boldsymbol{s} \boldsymbol{O}}$ she can complete her work.
5. Alex stood first and got a prize.
6. Sleep now or you will miss the class tomorrow.
7. Robin did not try hard $\underline{s o}$ he did not succeed.
8. He is sad but not broken.

## 2. Correlative conjunctions

This type of conjunctions always come in pair and are used to join grammatically equal elements in a sentence. There are seven types of pairs that are used as correlative conjunctions - either.... or, not only.... but/but also, neither.... nor, both....and, whether.... or, just as....so, both.... and.

## NOTE

Correlative conjunctions must use parallel structure which means the two elements should take the same grammatical form

## EXAMPLE

1. Rachi is both intelligent and beautiful.
2. Neither we won the world cup nor Olympic medals this year.
3. You can either buy a video game or a toy.
4. He is not only a doctor but is a motivational speaker.
5. I treat both of you with love and care.

## 3. Subordinating conjunctions

Subordinating conjunctions are used to connect independent clauses with a dependent clause. Here are some of the words that are used as subordinating conjunctions - than, whether, as, although, after, till, until, when, where, once, since, while, though, if, etc.

## NOTE

A dependent clause does not express a complete idea, so it must always be attached to an independent clause.

## EXAMPLE:

1. My friends believe that I can become an actor.
2. I trust Rohan because he is honest.
3. My life will be blessed if I can help these poor children.
4. He is older than me.
5. I didn't have any experience until I joined the company.
6. Unless you submit all the supporting documents, your application will not be processed.
7. When I reached the railway station, I found out that the train had already left.
8. Although we had parked in the parking lot, the traffic police issued us a parking ticket.
9. It is better to keep everything packed $\underline{\text { as }}$ you are not sure when you would be asked to come to Bangalore.

| Examples of Subordinating Conjunctions |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| After | When | Before |
| As soon as | Because | As |
| Since | Though | Although |
| Even though | If | Unless |
| Until | Even if | Once |
| While | Than | Till |
| Now that | As though | In order that |
| Wherever | So that | As long as |
| Provided | That |  |

EX. A. Combine the following sentences with appropriate Coordinating conjunctions.

1. She won the lottery. She was happy.
2. A lot of publishers rejected her stories. She kept trying.
3. We decided to eat something. We were hungry.
4. She worked really hard. She failed.
5. She reached for the phone. She dialled a number.

EX. B. Choose the best Correlative conjunction pair to complete each sentence.

1. $\qquad$ that is the case, $\qquad$ I'm not surprised about what's happening.

- If / then
- No sooner / than
- Whether / or

2. Have you made a decision about $\qquad$ to go to the movies ___ not?

- If / then
- Either / or
- Whether / or

3. This salad is $\qquad$ delicious $\qquad$ healthy.

- Whether / or
- Both / and
- Scarcely / when

4. The test was $\qquad$ very short $\qquad$ quite easy.

- both / and
- whether / or
- scarcely / when

5. $\qquad$ Joe $\qquad$ his sisters could understand what their parents were saying when they spoke French.

- No sooner / than
- Rather / than
- Neither / nor


## EX. C. Check Your Understanding of Subordinating Conjunctions

Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate conjunction in the following sentences. You can choose the most suitable conjunction from the list given below.
(If, while, when, since, as soon as, even though, unless, though, before, after)

1. $\qquad$ Deepa reached home, she called to let me know.
2. $\qquad$ she had paid all the bills, the system showed that she had some due
payments to be done.
3. $\qquad$ you do not find it interesting, it is okay.
4. $\qquad$ I was walking across the street; I saw that the shops were closed.
5. $\qquad$ she finishes the work given, she cannot go home.
6. $\qquad$ you make a decision, just take a second opinion.
7. $\qquad$ he was tired, he agreed to help me out.
8. She knew that there was a nationwide lockdown today only $\qquad$ I told her about it.
9. $\qquad$ you are done with it, let me know.
10. I think this place will not feel the same ever again $\qquad$ they demolished the football gallery.
