

Five Useful Ways to Join Ideas

Coordination

- Option 1

Independent clause	}	, and , but , for , nor , or , so , yet	}	independent clause
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- Option 2

Independent clause	;	independent clause
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- Option 3

Independent clause	}	; consequently, ; furthermore, ; however, ; in addition, ; indeed, ; in fact, ; moreover, ; nevertheless, ; then, ; therefore,	}	independent clause
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Subordination

- Option 4

Independent clause	}	after although as (as if) because before if since unless until when(ever) whereas while	}	dependent clause
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- Option 5

After Although As (As if) Because Before If Since Unless Until When(ever) Whereas While	}	dependent clause, independent clause
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Chapter 26 Coordination and Subordination Test A

Below are ten pairs of simple sentences. Read each pair to determine the relationship between them. Then join each pair in three different ways, using the conjunctions or conjunctive adverbs in parentheses at the left. Punctuate correctly.

1. Arthur was anxious about the benefit dinner.

Only twenty people had responded to the invitation.

(because) _____

(for) _____

(since) _____

2. I couldn't bring the clients both to and from the conference.

Betty offered to drive one way.

(so) _____

(since) _____

(because) _____

3. Stephen cleans the kitchen and bathroom once a week.

They always look cluttered and messy.

(but/yet) _____

(however) _____

(although) _____

4. Marcia wanted to hire the actor.

She was concerned about his bad temper.

(but) _____

(however) _____

(although) _____

5. You can wait here for your prescription to be filled.

It will take fifteen minutes.

(but) _____

(since) _____

(however) _____

6. Rhonda's parents chose to rent an apartment.

They can't afford a house.

(for) _____

(because) _____

(since) _____

7. Angelo lost his key during football practice.

He could not get into the house that night.

(consequently) _____

(and) _____

(because) _____

8. I would love to own an antique roll-top desk.

I need to save money for our family vacation.

(however) _____

(unfortunately) _____

(but) _____