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Conjunctions

P5–P6 · Joining words join two ideas into one sentence

Word	Meaning	Example
and	adds	I like tea **and** cake.
but	difference	It was sunny **but** cold.
or	choice	Tea **or** coffee?
so	result	I was tired, **so** I slept.
because	reason	I ran **because** I was late.
although	even though	**Although** it rained, we went.

Word	Meaning	Example
when	at that time	Call me **when** you get home.
before	earlier	Wash **before** you eat.
after	later	We played **after** we ate.
if	condition	**If** it rains, we stay in.
unless	if … not	Come to my party **unless** you are busy.

PART A Choose the conjunction

Tick (✓) the correct word.

1. Typhoon Signal No. 8 was up, (☐ so ☐ because) there was no school today.
2. Would you like noodles (☐ but ☐ or) rice for lunch?
3. Ben always brushes his teeth (☐ after ☐ before) he goes to bed.
4. (☐ Because ☐ Although) it was raining, we still went to Ocean Park.
5. Please phone me (☐ when ☐ unless) you arrive at the MTR station.

PART B Join the sentences

Join the two sentences into one. Use the word in brackets.

1. Tom was late. He missed the bus. **(because)**

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2. Amy ate dinner. She watched TV. **(after)**

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3. I will not go. You come with me. **(unless)**

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Answers **A** 1 so · 2 or · 3 before · 4 Although · 5 when **B** 1 Tom was late because he missed the bus. / Because he missed the bus, Tom was late. · 2 Amy watched TV after she ate dinner. / After Amy ate dinner, she watched TV. · 3 I will not go unless you come with me. / Unless you come with me, I will not go.

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