

Start with this simple sentence.

It was raining . . .

Now add one of the following connectives:

furthermore

nevertheless

however

besides

consequently

Now join one of the following clauses to create a complex sentence.

- . . . they enjoyed playing football in the park.
- . . . it was cold and dark in the wood.
- . . . it was warm and cosy inside the cottage.
- . . . it was a cold December morning.
- . . . it was wet and slippery on the pavement as he walked to school.

because

when

although

Use the connectives above to create complex sentences from the following simple sentences.

It was a sunny day.

She did not drink her tea.

It was cold.

It rained.

They wore their wellies.

We wanted to go to the beach.

Steven wore gloves.

They went for a walk.



How many different sentences can you create?

furthermore

nevertheless

besides

however

consequently

How many different combinations can you make?

The children linked arms...

We ate ham sandwiches, salad and crisps...

They shovelled snow as fast as possible...

We wrapped up warmly...

The rescue team managed to reach him...

They were able to escape from the tunnel...

The dogs growled...

The children played happily alongside them...

They could not see anything in the darkness...

The carvings were exquisite...

**NEXT!** Can you start your sentence with a connective?