

What is Conjunction?

A word or group of words that connects two or more words, clauses, phrases or sentences are called conjunctions. Conjunctions are called the joining words.

Conjunction Examples -

1. She is good in **both** cooking and dancing
2. If we leave **now**, we can be home by 11 p.m.
3. He couldn't be taken **before** magistrate for punishment
4. Neither her friends **nor** relatives joined for the party
5. The legendary dancer is **also** interested in folk music.

Types Of Conjunctions

The conjunctions words are segregated into four types -

1. Coordinating Conjunction Words
2. Subordinating Conjunction Words
3. Correlative conjunction Words
4. Conjunctive Adverbs

Go through the Types of conjunctions along with the list of conjunctions covered under each type. Also, Candidates can download the full list of conjunctions along with the types given in PDF format both at the top and bottom of this article.

Coordinating Conjunction Words

These join the elements that are the same. Coordination conjunction words are only seven and people remember them by an acronym FANBOYS i.e. (For, And, Nor, But, Or, Yet, So).

Check out the list of Coordinating conjunctions along with examples:

List of Conjunctions	
Coordinating Conjunction Words	Sentences - Conjunction Examples
For	He needs to find a job, for he is unemployed
And	Maria loves both Ice Cream and pizza
Nor	Neither tuesday nor wednesday is good for party

But	She scored good marks but she is not satisfied
Or	Which fruit do you like: mango or apple?
Yet	She dances well yet she hesitates to take part in the competition
So	He is unwell so he will come for the movie

Subordinating Conjunction Words

It joins the dependent adverb clause with the independent clause. Understand it this way, Instead of joining two independent clauses of equal importance, Subordinating conjunction words makes one clause less important than another.

Conjunction examples -

I will drink milk after having this chocolate (I will drink milk is independent clause; after having this chocolate is dependent adverb clause)

Similarly, He will come to my home after attending the wedding (here, he will come to my home is Independent Clause; after attending the wedding is dependent adverb clause).

Given below Conjunctions list for above-mentioned type:

List Of Conjunctions	
Subordinating Conjunction Words	Sentences - Conjunction Examples
After	She went to the parlor after lunch
Although	although the sun was shining it wasn't warm
As	She can do the hairstyle as she wants
As if	he behaved as if he has lost it
As long as	The dog would be cooperative as long as you fed him
As much as	he likes football as much as he likes football
As soon as	As soon as I get the details I will send the mail

As though	The virus is spreading as though it will end the world
Because	He did the task because he felt it was his duty
Before	The baby sleeps before massage
Even	He has never even heard the name of the city Ohio
Even if	Even if you perform you best, you won't be appreciated
Even though	She doesn't want to give up even though she knows it won't better the relation
If	they will party in the garden if the weather is good
If only	she will feel better only if she see her son for a moment
If then	If it rains then we will stuck in traffic
In order that	She will leave the party early in order that I will get a cab
Just as	It began to rain just as we got to the home
Lest	he spent whole days in his room, wearing headphones lest he disturb anyone
Now	Boston is now a big city earlier it was a small town
Now since	Let's discuss the issue now, since the manager is right here
Now that	Now that everything is under control, the lockdown can be lifted
Once	once i will pick you up from school we can go to the restaurant
Provided	he will behave properly provided you be polite to him
Provided that	I will go to the party provided that she comes
Rather than	Better, ignore her questions rather than lie
Since	its a long time since they met
So that	He joined Foreign language classes so that he can learn french
Supposing	He was bluffed into supposing his competitors were not prepared

Than	The old man lived more than 100 years
That	The yellow building you are seeing there, that is my house
Though	though they were whispering, their voices echoed in the hall
Till	She waited at the coffee shop till 11 pm
Unless	He will not buy you a scooter unless you score good marks
Until	You will not get a driving licence until you turn 18
When	When is your mother coming from canada?
Whenever	Please share the details of your fried whenever you get time
Where	Where is the bakery store?
Where if	If Ram is with this girl, where is his wife?
Whereas	The north has hot climate whereas the south is cold
Wherever	eat healthy meals wherever possible
Whether	She seemed undecided whether to stay or go
Which	Which is your favourite color?
While	He did my task while I was away from office?
Who	Do you know the person who is standing near the bookstore?
Whoever	Whoever wins will get a cash prize
Why	Why do people throw garbage on the streets?

Correlative Conjunctions

These work in pairs to join two clauses or sentences. Understand it with examples.

Conjunction examples -

Either you cook me lunch, **or** I leave

No sooner he had gone to bed, **than** the doorbell rang

The table below illustrates the list of conjunctions covered under Correlative type:

List of Conjunctions	
Correlative Conjunction Words	Sentences - Conjunction Examples
As / As	His scorecard was not as bas as I thought
Both / and	Both the teams and their coaches worked hard
Either / or	Either have the cake right now or it will be finished
Hardly / when	Hardly had he reached the stop when the bus started
Neither / nor	Neither the children nor their parents attended the function
No sooner / than	No sooner had the teacher entered the classroom than the students kept quiet
Not only / but also	Not only you should mug up for exams but also understand the basic concepts
Whether / or	She was confused whether to wear pink or yellow for her engagement
The More / The more	The more flattering with boss the more incentives you get
So/ as	Her poetry wasn't so boring as his
Such / that	She is such a beautiful actress that everyone is her fan
Rather / than	He would rather cook at home than going out for dinner

Conjunctive Adverbs

These are also called transition words. It joins sentences or words or phrases just like words on the standard conjunction list of can. A few examples of such type include; *in addition, as a result, however, hence, etc.*

Go through the list to understand the adverbial conjunctions:

Conjunctions List	
Conjunctive Adverbs	Sentences - Conjunction Examples
After all	After all the efforts we put in the result was not appreciable

As a result	As a result of the new job he relocated to a new city
Consequently	She worked hard and consequently got good appraisal
Finally	They quarrelled for hours and then finally there was all silence
For example	Take, for example, you are a CEO of Google. How will You help the nation?
Furthermore	She was tired and cold, and furthermore she was hungry.
Hence	Schools are closed due to lockdown. Hence teachers are taking online classes.
However	He will buy that car, however he will use all his savings
In addition	In addition, all his planning are paying off
In fact	She is taking advanced classes; in fact, she is an expert now
Indeed	A soldier's life is indeed a difficult life
Instead	We cooked at home instead of going out
Likewise	Grateful to him, she was likewise excited to have Europe tour
Meanwhile	He spent 5 years studying for Engineering. Meanwhile, he joined work at the bank
Incidentally	Incidentally, have you seen the new shopping mall they are putting up?

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