

LO: To use compound sentences.

Task 1: Use co-ordinating conjunctions to link main clauses to create compound sentences. Remember to punctuate with a comma before the co-ordinating conjunctions.

1. Stanley hated digging holes. Zero was really good at it.
2. Holes must be 5ft deep. Campers have to dig seven holes a week.
3. You might be bitten by a vicious scorpion. You could be killed by a yellow-spotted lizard.
4. The Warden owned the shade. Campers should not try to rest beneath the trees.
5. X-Ray can be really mean. He helped Stanley on his first day at camp.

Task 2: Write some compound sentences using the co-ordinating conjunctions to link two main clauses. Remember to punctuate with a comma before the co-ordinating conjunctions.

1. for
2. and
3. nor
4. but

LO: To use complex sentences.

Task 1: Complete the complex sentences by adding a main clause to the subordinate clause. Punctuate your sentences with capital letters, periods to end and commas after the subordinate clause as it is at the start of the sentence. Rewrite the full complex sentences in your book not on the sheets!

6. Early in the morning, \_\_\_\_\_
7. Although it was difficult, \_\_\_\_\_
8. At the end of the day, \_\_\_\_\_
9. Despite the hot weather, \_\_\_\_\_
10. While he was digging, \_\_\_\_\_
11. Since Stanley was arrested, \_\_\_\_\_

Task 2: Reorder your complex sentences from task 1 so that the main clause starts the sentence. Punctuate correctly with capital letters and periods to end. You do not need to use a comma after the main clause.

Task 3: Complete the complex sentences by adding a subordinate clause to the main clauses. Punctuate your sentences with capital letters and periods. Rewrite the full complex sentences in your book not on the sheets!

1. Stanley was digging a hole.
2. The Warden own the shade.
3. Digging holes is very difficult to do.
4. Mr Sir has given up smoking.
5. Showers only last for four minutes.
6. There is no lake at Camp Green Lake.