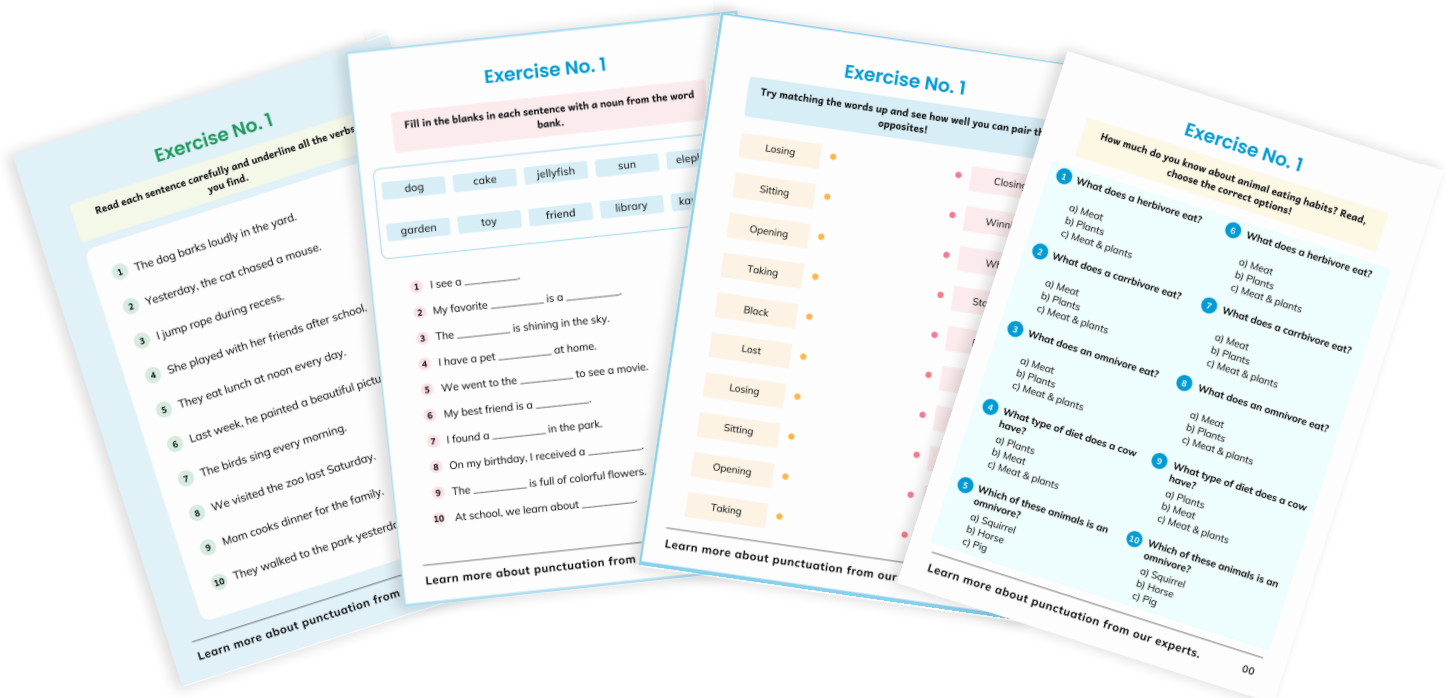




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Exercise No. 1

Choose the correct connector to complete each sentence meaningfully.

- 1** Neha revised well; _____, she missed one answer.
a) furthermore
b) therefore
c) however
- 2** Kabir felt weak, _____ he completed practice.
a) meanwhile
b) nevertheless
c) otherwise
- 3** We carried snacks _____ the trip was long.
a) therefore
b) otherwise
c) because
- 4** Sana likes painting _____ her cousin prefers music.
a) whereas
b) furthermore
c) therefore
- 5** The roads were badly damaged; _____, buses still operated.
a) otherwise
b) nevertheless
c) moreover
- 6** Arjun trained daily; _____, he won the match.
a) therefore
b) meanwhile
c) otherwise
- 7** The hall was crowded; _____, some guests waited outside.
a) moreover
b) therefore
c) however
- 8** I enjoy biology _____ my sister likes history.
a) whereas
b) therefore
c) moreover
- 9** The flight arrived late; _____, passengers complained.
a) otherwise
b) furthermore
c) therefore
- 10** Dev practiced speeches regularly; _____, he gained confidence.
a) meanwhile
b) therefore
c) however

Exercise No. 2

Complete each sentence using a suitable connector from the word bank.

- 1 Neha forgot her notes; _____ , she felt nervous.
- 2 The players trained hard _____ they lifted the trophy.
- 3 Sana enjoys reading _____ her brother likes chess.
- 4 Heavy rain started; _____ , the picnic was canceled.
- 5 Kabir missed lunch; _____ , he became hungry later.
- 6 The train stopped suddenly; _____ , passengers looked worried.
- 7 Dev practiced daily; _____ , his speaking skills improved.
- 8 The bridge was blocked; _____ , traffic moved slowly.
- 9 I enjoy poetry, _____ my cousin likes novels.
- 10 The class revised grammar; _____ , scores improved greatly.

additionally

meanwhile

however

while

otherwise

therefore

consequently

moreover

nevertheless

furthermore

Exercise No. 3

Tick the circle True if the statement about advanced conjunctions or connectors is correct, or False if it is not.

	True	False
1 Connectors help readers follow ideas clearly.	☐	☐
2 Every connector shows contrast between ideas.	☐	☐
3 However is commonly used for contrasts.	☐	☐
4 Therefore often introduces a result or effect.	☐	☐
5 Connectors are unnecessary in formal essays.	☐	☐
6 Moreover can add supporting information smoothly.	☐	☐
7 Writers never use connectors to improve paragraph flow.	☐	☐
8 Meanwhile can show actions at same time.	☐	☐
9 Connectors are not used only at the beginning of paragraphs.	☐	☐
10 Good connectors improve sentence relationships clearly.	☐	☐

Exercise No. 4

Underline the connector and circle the ideas it connects in each sentence.

- 1 Neha cooked dinner while her father set plates.
- 2 The lights turned off because power had failed.
- 3 Sana practiced daily; therefore, she improved quickly.
- 4 Dev stayed indoors because strong winds had started.
- 5 Kabir likes football whereas Yusuf enjoys tennis.
- 6 The café closed early since the workers felt tired.
- 7 We packed umbrellas although the forecast predicted clear skies.
- 8 The bus arrived late; meanwhile, passengers waited calmly.
- 9 I reviewed my notes before the debate competition began.
- 10 The game continued although dark clouds gathered overhead.

Exercise No. 5

Write meaningful sentences using the given connectors correctly in context.

- 1 Write a meaningful sentence using **however** to show contrast between two ideas.

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- 2 Write a sentence using **because** to explain a reason clearly.

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- 3 Write a sentence using **although** to show an unexpected result.

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- 4 Write a sentence using **therefore** to show a **result** or consequence.

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- 5 Write a sentence using **moreover** to add extra information.

- 6 Write a sentence using **meanwhile** to show actions happening at the same time.

- 7 Write a sentence using **otherwise** to show a possible consequence.

- 8 Write a school-related sentence using a suitable connector correctly.

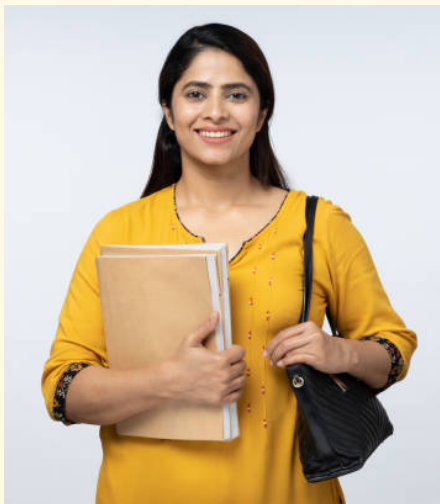
- 9 Write a sports-related sentence using a connector to show contrast.

- 10 Write a travel-related sentence using a suitable connector to show sequence, reason, or result.

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