

Conjunctions

Conjunctions connect words in a sentence or connect two independent clauses into one sentence. Use a comma before the conjunction to separate the clauses. The three most common conjunctions are *and*, *but* and *or*.

He is a cow, **and** he is holding a mug.

Cows get tired, **but** they do not drink coffee.

This picture is silly, **or** this picture is funny.



DIRECTIONS: Use the conjunctions indicated to join the sentences below.

1. Kim is here. Liam is not here. (but)
2. Do you want pizza? Do you want salad? (or)
3. Anna woke early. Anna went to school. (and)
4. Toby is a dog. George is a cat. (but)
5. I just had coffee. I am still sleepy. (and)
6. I have some work to do today. I will not be too busy. (but)
7. The hot water heater doesn't work. We have cold water. (but)
8. Should we go out tonight? Should we stay in? (or)