



Subordinating Conjunctions ¹

Practice 4

Instructions. Based on [the lessons on subordinating conjunctions](#), choose the correct subordinating conjunction in parentheses to combine each pair of sentences. .

Example: (where / before / because) I want to go to the beach today. The weather is very nice.

Sentence: I want to go to the beach today because the weather is very nice.

When you are done, see “Answer Key” to check your answers.

1. **(only if / in case / wherever)** You can buy this candy. They sell German food.

2. **(When / Even though / As)** I'm very tired. I still have work to do.

3. **(Whenever / Although / Because)** You have a question. Make sure to ask the teacher.

4. **(while / though / when)** You can leave. You finish the test.

5. **(although / because / while)** John is learning Japanese. He's going to live in Japan next year.

6. **(in case / because / when)** Bring an umbrella. It rains this evening.

7. **(When / Although / Because)** I'm very hungry. I don't have time to eat right now.

8. **(until / when / while)** Don't start the movie. I get home this evening.

9. **(because / as / whenever)** Ask John to call me. You see him today.

10. **(because / even though / whenever)** Marie can't speak French. Her parents are from France.



Answer Key

1. You can buy this candy wherever they sell German food.
2. Even though I'm very tired, I still have work to do.
(Note. Make sure to use a comma after the independent clause.)
3. Whenever you have a question, make sure to ask the teacher.
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4. You can leave when you finish the test.
5. John is learning Japanese because he's going to live in Japan next year.
6. Bring an umbrella in case it rains this evening.
7. Although I'm very hungry, I don't have time to eat right now.
(Note. Make sure to use a comma after the independent clause.)
8. Don't start the movie until I get home this evening.
9. Ask John to call me whenever you see him today.
10. Marie can't speak French even though her parents are from France.

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