

Exercises about linking words

Activity One: choose the correct word

- 1- Karen is richher cousin Kate is poor.
a) Therefore b) however c) otherwise
- 2- The river was flowing much faster than usuallythe heavy rain.
a) since b) despite c) because of
- 3- You'd better take a taxiyou will arrive late.
a) Consequently b) furthermore c) otherwise
- 4- I enjoy reading this new magazine. it has good articles.
a) Moreover b) nevertheless c) however
- 5- The kids didn't study.they failed the course.
a) Therefore b) nonetheless c) otherwise
- 6- We decided to delay our tripthe weather was terrible.
a) while b) since c) when
- 7- He is sad his richness.
a) Because of b) in spite of c) although
- 8- I will give you a ring I arrive.
a) While b) since a) as soon as
- 9- The neighbourhood is not very interesting. I like the house
- 10- We live in the same building;, we hardly see each other .
a) But b) therefore c) furthermore
- 11- The plane has just landed comes from Paris.
a) Which b) who c) no conjunction
- 12- He didn't earn enough money., his wife decided to get a job.
a) Moreover b) therefore c) although
- 13- We thought she was arrogant, in fact she was very shy.
a) Whereas b) unlike c) therefore
- 14- That house isn't big enough for us, and, it is too expensive.
a) Furthermore b) hence c) although
- 15- We have plenty of money and workers; we hope to finish the house remodelling soon.
a) Nevertheless b) unless c) thus

Activity two. Choose the correct conjunction from the list below

(sothat, unless, because of, in order, nevertheless, although, after, who, because, while, both..... and, therefore, so.....that, if, which.)

- 1- She speaks English very wellshe has never been to England.
- 2- We visited Madame Tussaud'swe were in London.
- 3- The picture is hanging over my bed was painted by an art student.
- 4- We are not making much profit we need to raise our prices.
- 5- He is learning English He can get a better and more interesting job.
- 6- He worked slowly.....his bad legs,
- 7- I refused to pay anything you do the work properly.
- 8- I was tiredI couldn't even think.
- 9- We will go to the mountain on Saturday.....it doesn't rain.
- 10- I am learning English To get a better job.
- 11-my sistermy brother play piano.
- 12- We are going out to eatwe finish taking the test.
- 13- He was the best qualified candidatehe didn't get the job.
- 14- I left earlyI had an interview the next day.