



INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
MIDDLE SECTION



SUBJECT: ENGLISH

TOPIC: CONJUNCTIONS

Class VIII _____ Name: _____ Roll No: _____ Date: ____/10/18 Worksheet Number: 13

I. Fill in the blanks with the correct conjunctions from those given in the brackets.

- a) I could not get a seat in the auditorium _____ I came early. (as, though, when)
- b) Concentrate on your work _____ you do not make mistakes. (so that, unless, or)
- c) I visit the Taj Mahal _____ I go to Agra. (once, whenever, wherever)
- d) I plan to go on a vacation _____ in June _____ in July.
(whether/ or, either/ or, as / if)
- e) _____ I am feeling happy _____ sad, I try to face the world with a smile.
(either/ or, whether/ or, when/ nor)
- f) _____ do we enjoy our summer vacation, _____ we _____
enjoy our winter break. (not only/ but...also, whether/ or, either/ or)
- g) Mohana hates to listen to rap music, _____ does she tolerate heavy metal. (but, nor, or)
- h) Karan doesn't like to drive, _____ takes an autorickshaw everywhere. (but, yet, so)
- i) I have to be on time for the meeting _____ my client will be annoyed if I am late. (and, so, for)
- j) Bianca wore her rainboots, _____ her feet stayed dry during the storm.
(however, therefore, on the other hand)
- k) You have to work faster _____ you will not complete your project on time.
(otherwise, instead, however)

II. Fill in the blanks with appropriate conjunctions.

- a) I dropped all the tea on my dress, _____ I had to change into another one.
- b) _____ the roses _____ the lilies will survive in this heat.
- c) _____ Kanchan _____ Sanjana _____ could not complete the

marathon.

d) _____ they ask you for it _____ not, you keep the list of requirements ready.

e) The Indian _____ the Chinese women's teams have entered the finals of the Asia Cup Hockey Tournament this year.

f) I feel very happy _____ my parents call me up.

g) I am very angry with myself today _____ I made careless mistakes in a test.

h) Make hay _____ the sun shines.

III. Join the sentences using the conjunctions given in the brackets.

a) I didn't know that she can't hear. I didn't know that she can't see. (neither... nor)

b) Sara is invited to the party. Shama is invited to the party. (Both ... and)

c) They are noisy. They are lazy. (not only ... but also)

d) It was a difficult examination. I passed the examination. (but)

e) He wanted to do odd jobs. He might save some money. (so that)

f) The girls practiced hard. The girls did not win the match. (though)

g) God made small things. God made great things. (as well as)

h) The doctors gave her the best treatment. The doctors could not save her. (yet)

i) She cannot go to school. She recovers fully from her illness. (before)

j) You may get the best grade in the oral test. You will still need to pass the written test. (even if)

IV. Rearrange the words and phrases to make meaningful sentences.

a) as/ school/ in the/ Mona/ well/ skills/ as/ her sister/ is/ and/ hard/ choir/ on their/ both/ work/ singing

b) can sing/ and/ they/ French/only/ not/ English/ in/ also/ Japanese/ in/ but/ Chinese/ and

c) have/ old/ learning/ since/ they /singer/ they/ singing/ four/ been / were/ years/ a/ renowned/ from

V. In the following passage one word has been omitted in each line. Write the missing word along with the words before and after it. Underline the word you provide.

a) Two thieves decided one night to rob a house, they _____

b) were noticed by a police patrol gave them a good _____

c) chase. The thief his accomplice darted into a house _____

d) to escape the police, their effort was wasted. _____

e) The policemen their dogs surrounded _____

f) the house; ,the men refused to come out. _____

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Answer Key - Worksheet on Conjunctions (2018-19)

- I. a) though b) so that c) whenever d) either/ or e) whether/ or f) Not only, but.... also
g) nor h) so i) for j) therefore k) otherwise
- II. a) so b) Neither, nor c) Not only, but.... also d) Whether, or e) and f) when/ whenever
g) as/ because/ since h) while
- III. a) I didn't know that she can neither hear nor see. b) Both Sara and Shama are invited to the party.
c) Not only are they noisy but also lazy. / They are not only noisy but also lazy.
d) It was a difficult examination but I passed it.
e) He wanted to do odd jobs so that he might save some money.
f) Though the girls practiced hard, they did not win the match. / The girls did not win the match though they practiced hard.
g) God made small as well as great things.
h) The doctors gave her the best treatment yet they could not save her.
i) She cannot go to school before she recovers fully from her illness.
j) Even if you get the best grade in the oral test, you will need to pass the written test.
- IV. a) Mona as well as her sister is in the school choir, and both work hard on their singing skills.
b) They can sing not only in English and French but also in Japanese and Chinese.
c) They have been learning singing since they were four years old from a renowned singer. / They have been learning singing from a renowned singer since they were four years old.
- V. a) house **but** they b) patrol **which** gave c) thief **and** his d) police **but** their
e) policemen **and** their f) house **however** the

