

Chapter 25. Conjunctions

Exercise 1. Fill in the blanks with **and**, **or**, **but**, or **because**:

1. Read the question carefully _____ you will give a wrong answer.
2. The sun set _____ it grew cold.
3. I do not eat junk food _____ it is unhealthy.
4. She liked the dress _____ she had no money.
5. The sparrows were chirping _____ the doves were cooing.
6. We went to Darjeeling _____ it was hot in Kolkata.
7. It was cold _____ there was no fog.
8. What do you like more—South Indian food _____ Thai food?
9. The rains started _____ the ponds were full of water.
10. Grandfather does not go out _____ this cold weather does not suit him.
11. Do you use the school bus _____ go by your own car?
12. The school is good _____ the teachers are strict.

Exercise 2. Underline the mistakes and write the correct sentences:

1. She ran fast and missed the bus.

2. He will miss the school today or he is unwell.

3. I switched on the machine because it did not move.

4. He was given a prize but he was honest.

5. We won the match or we played better.

6. She is intelligent because she does not work hard.

7. I could not do the homework and there was no light.

8. You cannot catch me but I run faster than you.

9. The driver applied the brakes because the bus did not stop.

10. The bag is not heavy and I cannot carry it.
