

Fixing run-on sentences with conjunctions

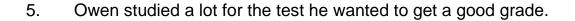
Grade 4 Sentences Worksheet

Rewrite these run-on sentences as one sentence using a conjunction. Add a comma if necessary. A **run-on sentence** can be corrected by adding a comma and a coordinating conjunction such as <u>and</u>, <u>but</u>, <u>or</u>, <u>so</u>, and <u>yet</u>. It can also be corrected by using a subordinating conjunction such as <u>after</u>, <u>before</u>, <u>once</u>, <u>although</u> and <u>while</u>.

Choose from these conjunctions:

after	before	once	although	as if	as	because
still	even if	if	even though	in order to	now that	since
than	that	unless	until	when	whenever	where
wherever	while	and	but	or	SO	yet

- 1. We were watching television our dad was washing the dishes.
- 2. Amanda played on her phone she had to do her homework.
- 3. Mike likes to eat pizza he also likes to eat tacos.
- 4. We lost the game our coach said we played really well.



- 6. My dad took a shower he had completed his workout.
- 7. My computer is broken we are taking it to the store.
- 8. My sister will drive the car she has her license.
- 9. I can go to the park by myself I am twelve years old.
- 10. Cameron wanted to play a game Heidi wanted to watch a show.



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Answers

Answers may vary.

- 1. We were watching television <u>while</u> our dad was washing the dishes.
- 2. Amanda played on her phone <u>until</u> she had to do her homework.
- 3. Mike likes to eat pizza, <u>and</u> he also likes to eat tacos.
- 4. We lost the game, <u>but</u> our coach said we played really well.
- 5. Owen studied a lot for the test <u>because</u> he wanted to get a good grade.
- 6. My dad took a shower <u>after</u> he had completed his workout.
- 7. My computer is broken, <u>so</u> we are taking it to the store.
- 8. My sister will drive the car <u>once</u> she has her license.
- 9. I can go to the park by myself <u>now that</u> I am twelve years old.
- 10. Cameron wanted to play a game, <u>but</u> Heidi wanted to watch a show.