

## Worksheet One

This worksheet accompanies *Clauses and Sentences Unit Two*.

### Simple or compound?

Read each sentence and decide whether it is simple or compound. Put a check in the correct column.

	Simple	Compound
I like playing tennis and I also like playing badminton.		
My dad likes action movies but my mom prefers romantic comedies.		
I read the book from cover to cover in one day.		
Smoking is very bad for your health.		
Students at this school are very athletic.		
Thomas is saving up money so he can buy a new skateboard.		
I study really hard for tests, yet I always get bad grades.		
I like eating pancakes for breakfast.		
We could have Indian takeout, or we could have Chinese.		
I prefer carrots to cauliflower.		



## Worksheet Two

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### Subordinate conjunctions

Underline the subordinate conjunctions in these sentences.

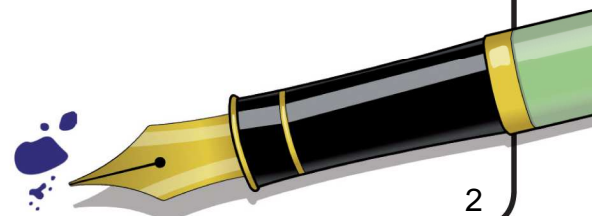
1. The butcher was angry because the dog ate the bone.
2. Richmond, which is where I live, is a really great place.
3. After I'd been on vacation, it was hard to go back to school.

### Joining clauses

Finish these complex sentences by using the conjunctions below to link the subordinate clauses to the independent clauses.

1. I didn't believe it \_\_\_\_\_ I saw it with my own eyes.
2. I will be less tired \_\_\_\_\_ I have a cup of coffee.
3. You are just saying that \_\_\_\_\_ you are jealous!
4. I want to be just like my uncle \_\_\_\_\_ is a policeman.
5. New York, \_\_\_\_\_ is where I was born, is better than Boston.
6. That girl, \_\_\_\_\_ she is, is really annoying!

after	because	who
which	whoever	until



## Worksheet Three

This worksheet accompanies *Clauses and Sentences*  
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### Identifying clauses

Underline the independent and subordinate clauses in different colors.

1. My neighbors, who are training for a marathon, will run every day.
2. Whenever she can, Madison goes to the movies.
3. My uncle, who is a pilot, got us seats in first class.
4. Tom, who played soccer twice a week, was athletic.
5. I can't wait until it's summer vacation!
6. Magicians perform tricks that appear impossible.
7. Kelly likes listening to her iPod, which is pink.
8. The dog barked at the burglar, who was stealing the diamonds.
9. Watching scary movies, which are shown late at night, is foolish.

