

Unit 2 • Lesson D: Online forums

Vocabulary

Internet language

message board	(n)	
online forum	(n)	
website	(n)	
have your own website	(v)	
post comments	(v)	
read (magazines) online	(v)	

Hobbies and freetime

bike (bicycle)	(n)	
fashion	(n)	
knitting	(n)	
musician	(n)	
cycle	(v)	
enter a competition	(v)	
make jewelry	(v)	
write poetry	(v)	

Other words

and	(conj)	
because	(conj)	
but	(conj)	
or	(conj)	
also	(adv)	
especially	(adv)	
regularly	(adv)	
recommend	(v)	

Writing

Linking ideas

You can use words such as *and* to link two or more ideas together.

- Use *and*, *also*, *especially* and *or* to add an idea:

I enjoy knitting **and** I make some really cool hats.

I **also** like making jewelry, **especially** bracelets.

I'm not interested in running **or** jogging.

- Use *but* to contrast two ideas:

I'm not good at sports, **but** I want to do something outdoors.

- Use *because* to give a reason:

My friends love wearing my hats **because** they are unique.