

Unit 1 SENTENCES

Lesson 5: Compound Subjects (pp. 24–27)

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A compound subject has two or more simple subjects that share the same predicate. A conjunction is a word that joins words or groups of words. In a compound subject, the conjunction and or or joins the subjects.

In each sentence, underline the simple subjects in the compound subject. Then write the conjunction that joins the simple subjects.

1.	Radishes and carrots grow underground.	
2.	Did Denzel or Ali make the carrot cake?	
3.	My knees and ankles ached after the long hike.	
4.	The loud thunder and bright lightning scared the baby.	
5.	Did Sonia or Mai get the lead role in the play?	
6.	Three monkeys and their trainer juggled oranges.	
7.	The artist or his helper painted the king.	
8.	A famous poet and a well-known reporter visited our school.	
9.	Mr. Davis or his brother worked at the bakery.	
10.	Fresh air, clean water, and good food are important for health.	
11.	A sheepdog and twenty sheep climbed to the hilltop.	
12.	My many aunts and uncles made the party lively.	
13.	Your parent or guardian must sign the form.	
14.	Tasha and I tied the laces on our ice skates.	
15.	A tall pine or spruce grew next to the back door.	