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## Unit 1 SENTENCES

### Lesson 5: Compound Sentences (pp. 24–27)

#### Remember

Sometimes two simple sentences contain related ideas. You can make a **compound sentence** by combining these simple sentences. Use a **coordinating conjunction** such as *and*, *but*, or *or* to join the sentences.

Read each incomplete compound sentence. Underline the sentence below that best relates to it. Then combine the related sentences to form a compound sentence. Write the compound sentence on the line.

- My cousin came to visit, and we talked all afternoon.  
We talked all afternoon. Her birthday is in January.
- We need to leave now, or we will be late for the movie.  
 We enjoyed the movie. We will be late for the movie.
- I like books about sports, but I like mysteries even better.  
I like mysteries even better. You can find them in the library.
- Ben's family brought salad to the picnic, and Yolanda's family brought hot dogs.  
Yolanda's family brought hot dogs. They forgot to bring napkins.
- You can borrow my umbrella, or you can wait inside until the rain stops.  
You can wait inside until the rain stops. My raincoat is yellow.
- Angela was sick yesterday, but she feels fine today.  
 She sent me a postcard. She feels fine today.
- We can take the bus to the library, or we can walk.  
 We can apply for library cards. We can walk.
- Lightning flashed, and thunder roared.  
Thunder roared. I planted flowers.
- I opened the door, and the cat ran out.  
 My pen ran out of ink. The cat ran out.
- The pond was frozen, but the ice was too thin for skating.  
 The ice was too thin for skating. Ice-skating is a popular sport.