



BCS Preliminary

Lecture

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Lecture Content

✓ Transformation of Sentence (Simple, Complex, Compound)

Content Discussion



Rules of Transformation from Simple to Complex & Compound

Rule	Simple এ আছে	Complex এ হবে	Compound এ হবে
1.	because of /owing to/due to (কারণ অর্থ বুঝালে)	since/as/because (যেহেতু অর্থ বুঝালে)	and so, and thus, and therefore
2.	inspite of/despite (সত্ত্বেও)	though/although (যদিও)	but (কিন্তু)
3.	present participle /perfect participle	when/while; (সময় বুঝালে) since/as because (কারণ বুঝালে)	and বসে সময় বুঝালে and so, and thus, and therefor বসে কারণ বুঝালে
4.	too to (এত যে)	so that	very and
5.	without + verb with ing	if + negative auxiliary/ unless+ affirmative form	Or/otherwise
6.	with + verb with ing	since/as/because	and so, and thus, and therefore
7.	in order to/with a view to/for (জন্য)	so that (যাতে)	And
8.	being (হওয়ায়)	since/as/because	and so, and thus, and therefore
9.	by + verb with ing	since / as/ because	thus, there fore
10.	-----	lest (নইলে)	Otherwise

Rule 1	simple	complex	compound
	because of /owing to/due to (কারণ অর্থ বুঝালে)	since/as/because (যেহেতু অর্থ বুঝালে)	and so, and thus, and therefore

Examples

Simple : Because of my illness, I could not go to college.

Complex : As I was ill, I could not go to college.

Compound : I was ill, and so I could not go to college.

বিদ্যাবাড়ি/Note মনে রাখতে হবে, as/since বসে কারণ, বাক্যের শুরুতে কিন্তু so/thus বসে ফলাফল বাক্যের পূর্বে।

Rule 2	simple	complex	compound
	inspite of/despise (সত্ত্বেও)	though/although (যদিও)	but (কিন্তু)

Examples

Simple : Inspite of being poor, he is happy.

Complex : Though he is poor, he is happy.

Compound : He is poor but happy.

Simple : Inspite of having three houses, he wants another one.

Complex : Though he has three houses, he wants another one.

Compound : He has three houses but wants another one.

বিদ্যাবাড়ি/Note Complex sentence এর ক্ষেত্রে subject common হলেও তা দুইবার বসাতে হয়। কিন্তু compound sentence এর ক্ষেত্রে subject common হলে তা একবার বসে।

Rule 3	simple	complex	compound
	present participle /perfect participle	when/while; (সময় বুঝালে) since/as because (কারণ বুঝালে)	and (সময় বুঝালে) and so, and thus, and therefor (কারণ বুঝালে)

Examples

Simple : Closing the door of her room, Nipa went to university

Complex : When Nipa went to university, she closed the door of her room.

Compound : Nipa closed the door of her room and went to university.

Simple : Finding none in the room, the police left the place.

Complex : Since the police found none in the room, they left the place.

Compound : The police found none in the room and so they left the place.



Rule 4	simple	complex	compound
	too to (এত যে)	so that	very and

Too to একটি negative structure তাই complex এবং compound করার সময় cannot/could not বসাতে হবে। present tense এ cannot এবং past tense এ could not বসে।

Examples

- Simple** : The man is too sick to leave bed.
Complex : The man is so sick that he cannot leave bed.
Compound : The man is very sick and he cannot leave bed.
Simple : The boy was too tired to work.
Complex : The boy was so tired that he could not work.
Compound : The boy was very tired and he could not work.

Rule 5	simple	complex	compound
	without + verb with ing	if + negative auxiliary/ unless + affirmative form	or/otherwise

without+ verb with ing যুক্ত simple sentence কে compound করার সময় sentence টি imperative হয়।

Examples

- Simple** : Without working hard, you cannot prosper.
Complex : If you do not work hard, you cannot prosper.
Compound : Work hard or you cannot prosper.

Rule 6	simple	complex	compound
	with + verb with ing	since/as/because	And so, and thus, and therefore

Examples

- Simple** : The girl stood first in the class with working hard.
Complex : Since the girl worked hard, she stood first in the class.
Compound : The girl worked hard and thus she stood first in the class.

Rule 7	simple	complex	compound
	in order to/with a view to/for (জন্য)	so that (যাতে)	and

so that এর অর্থ যাতে এবং এটি positive শব্দ। তাই অপর অংশে can/could + মূল verb বসে।

Examples

- Simple** : Runa came here in order to collect some notes.
Complex : Runa came here so that she could collect some notes.
Compound : Runa came here and collected some notes.

Rule 8	simple	complex	compound
	being (হওয়ায়)	since/as/because	and so, and thus, and therefore

Examples

Simple : Being very tired, he went to bed.

Complex : As he was very tired, he went to bed.

Compound : He was very tired, and so he went to bed.

Rule 9	simple	complex	compound
	by + verb with ing	since / as/ because	thus, there fore

Examples

Simple : They shone in life by working hard.

Complex : Since they worked hard, they shone in life.

Compound : They worked hard, and so they shone in life.

Rule10	simple	complex	compound
	-----	lest (নইলে)	Otherwise

lest এরপর future tense এ should বসে। কিন্তু other wise এরপর future tense এ will বসে।

Examples

Complex : Walk fast lest you should miss the bus.

Compound : Walk fast otherwise you will miss the bus.

Topic Based Important Questions

1. Which one is a complex sentence?

- Ⓐ Though he is poor, he is honest.
- Ⓑ He is poor but honest.
- Ⓒ The poor is very honest.
- Ⓓ In spite of being poor, he is honest.

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2. 'In spite of being old, he was young at heart.' The compound sentence of it is—

- Ⓐ Though he was old, he was young at heart.
- Ⓑ He is old but young at heart
- Ⓒ He was too old to be young at heart
- Ⓓ All of the above.

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3. The man is so weak that he can not walk. (Simple)

- Ⓐ The man is so weak to walk.
- Ⓑ The man is too weak to walk.
- Ⓒ Though the man is weak, he can not walk.
- Ⓓ The man is weak but he can not walk.

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4. I don't know his father's name. Make it a complex sentence.

- Ⓐ I do not know his father's name.
- Ⓑ I do not know what his father's name is.
- Ⓒ I do not know that what his father's name is
- Ⓓ I do not know what name his father's is.

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Exercise on Lecture 09

1. **Find the correct complex form of the simple sentence:**
Because of my illness, I could not go to college.
 - (a) As I was ill, I could not go to college.
 - (b) Though I was ill, I could not go to college.
 - (c) Being ill, I could not go to college.
 - (d) I was ill and so I could not go to college.
2. **Find the correct complex form of the simple sentence:**
Inspite of being poor, he is happy.
 - (a) Though he is poor, he is happy.
 - (b) He is poor, though he is happy.
 - (c) He is poor but happy.
 - (d) As he is poor, he is happy.
3. **Find the correct complex form of the simple sentence:**
Closing the door of her room, Nipa went to university
 - (a) When Nipa went to university, she closed the door of her room.
 - (b) As Nipa went to university, she closed the door of her room.
 - (c) Since Nipa went to university, she closed the door of her room.
 - (d) Nipa went to university and closed the door of her room.
4. **Find the correct complex form of the simple sentence:**
The man is too sick to leave bed.
 - (a) The man is so sick that he cannot leave bed.
 - (b) The man is very sick and he cannot leave bed.
 - (c) The man is sick and so he cannot leave bed.
 - (d) The man is so sick that he could not leave bed.
5. **Find the correct complex form of the simple sentence:**
Without working hard, you cannot prosper.
 - (a) Work hard, or you cannot prosper.
 - (b) If you do not work hard, you cannot prosper.
 - (c) Unless you do not work hard, you cannot prosper.
 - (d) If you did not work hard, you cannot prosper.
6. **Find the correct compound form of the simple sentence:** **The girl stood first in the class with working hard.**
 - (a) Since the girl worked hard, she stood first in the class.
 - (b) The girl worked hard, and thus she stood first in the class.
 - (c) The girl worked hard but could not stand first in the class.
 - (d) The girl worked hard yet she stood first in the class.
7. **Find the correct complex form of the simple sentence:**
Runa came here in order to collect some notes.
 - (a) Runa came here so that she could collect some notes.
 - (b) Runa came her and collected some notes.
 - (c) Runa came here but collected some notes.
 - (d) Runa came here since she could collect some notes.
8. **Find out compound sentence from the followings:**
 - (a) Walk fast lest you should miss the train.
 - (b) If you came, I would go.
 - (c) Being very tired he went home early.
 - (d) We neither belong to this group nor support its work.
9. **Find out simple sentence from the followings:**
 - (a) We waited there till it was midnight.
 - (b) It being a rainy day, we could not go there.
 - (c) The supporters demonstrated until the leader was released.
 - (d) We reached home after the sun had set.
10. **Fill in the blank with appropriate word: The man stayed awake --- it was dawn.**
 - (a) until
 - (b) till
 - (c) unless
 - (d) after

>>>>> Answer Sheet <<<<<<

1	(a)	2	(a)	3	(a)	4	(a)	5	(b)	6	(b)	7	(a)	8	(d)	9	(b)	10	(b)
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Class



Exam

1. Select the right compound structure of the sentence:
“Though he is poor, he is honest”.
 - a He is poor and honest
 - b As he is poor, he is honest
 - c He is poor but honest
 - d Since he is poor, he is honest
2. **“A rolling stone gather’s no moss” the complex form of the sentence is—**
 - a Since a stone is rolling, it gathers no moss.
 - b Though a stone is rolls, it gathers no moss.
 - c A stone what rolls gathers no moss.
 - d A stone that rolls gathers no moss.
3. Which is the complex sentence: **‘Unfortunately, he failed’**
 - a He is unfortunately failed.
 - b It is unfortunately that he failed.
 - c He is failed unfortunately.
 - d It is unfortunate that he failed.
4. **He gave a dress which was expensive. (Simple)**
 - a He gave me a dress expensive.
 - b He gave me dress and it was expensive.
 - c He gave me a expensive dress.
 - d He gave me an expensive dress.
5. **‘I saw him going to market. (Compound)**
 - a I saw him and he was going to market
 - b I saw him who was going to market
 - c I saw him and he to go to market
 - d I go to market which he was.
6. **Choose the correct sentence.**
 - a Though he is strong but he is lazy.
 - b Though he is strong, he is lazy.
 - c Though he is strong, yet he is lazy.
 - d Thought he is strong or he is lazy.
7. **He appeared at the examination but failed. Transform into complex sentence.**
 - a Though he appeared at the examination but failed.
 - b he was appeared at the examination but failed.
 - c Having he appeared at the examination but failed.
 - d Being he appeared at the examination but failed.
8. **‘You must work hard to succeed’ (into compound one)**
 - a If you work hard you will not fail.
 - b You must work hard not for failing.
 - c You must work hard to avoid failing.
 - d You must work hard or you will fail.
9. **The correct simple sentence is — ‘Although he spoke clumsily, I listened to him very carefully.**
 - a Though his speech is was clumsy, I listened to him carefully.
 - b Despite the clumsiness of his speech, I listened to him carefully.
 - c He spoke clumsily, then I listened to him carefully.
 - d Despite speaking clumsy manner, I listened to him carefully.
10. **Choose the simple one for ‘Speak the truth and I shall pardon you.’**
 - a If you speak the truth, and I shall pardon you.
 - b In the event of your speaking truth, I shall pardon you.
 - c Speak the truth, and I shall pardon you.
 - d When you speak the truth, then I shall pardon you.



Answers

1	c
2	d
3	d
4	d
5	a
6	b
7	a
8	d
9	b
10	b

