

**CONJUNCTIONS****Exercise – 1**

Point out the Conjunctions in the following sentences, and state whether they are Coordinating or Subordinating:

1. You will not succeed unless you work harder.
2. We arrived after you had gone.
3. I waited till the train arrived.
4. Bread and milk is wholesome food.
5. You will get the prize if you deserve it-
6. When you are called, you must come in at
7. Do not go before I come.
8. I cannot give you any money, for I have n
9. Since you say so, I must believe it.
10. He fled lest he should be killed.
11. I shall be vexed if you do that.
12. We got into the port before the storm came on.
13. He was sorry after he had done it. ;
14. I did not come because you did not call me.
15. He is richer than I am.
16. My grandfather died before I was born.
17. I will stay until you return.
18. Catch me if you can.
19. Tom runs faster than Harry.
20. Is that story true or false?
21. You will be late unless you hurry.
22. He asked whether he might have a holiday.
23. Give me to drink, else I shall die of thirst.
24. If I feel any doubt, I ask.
25. He deserved to succeed, for he worked hard.
26. He will be sure to come if you invite him.
27. We can travel by land or water.
28. The earth is larger than the moon.
29. Either you are mistaken, or I am.
30. I shall go, whether you come or not.

**Exercise – 2**

Fill the blanks with appropriate Conjunctions:

1. Be just \_\_\_\_\_ fear not.
2. I ran fast, \_\_\_\_\_ I missed the train.
3. He fled, \_\_\_\_\_ he was afraid.
4. Make haste, \_\_\_\_\_ you will be late.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ you try, you will not succeed.
6. I am sure \_\_\_\_\_ he said so.
7. Wait \_\_\_\_\_ I return.
8. Do not go \_\_\_\_\_ I come.
9. He finished first \_\_\_\_\_ he began late.
10. Take care \_\_\_\_\_ you fall.
11. Take a lamp, \_\_\_\_\_ the night is dark.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ he was ambitious I slew him.
13. Open rebuke is better \_\_\_\_\_ secret love.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ you eat too much you will be ill.
15. I shall not go \_\_\_\_\_ I am invited.
16. He has succeeded better \_\_\_\_\_ he hoped.
17. I do it \_\_\_\_\_ I choose to.
18. \_\_\_\_\_ duty calls us we must obey.
19. Live well \_\_\_\_\_ you may die well.
20. Think nought a trifle, \_\_\_\_\_ it small appear.

**Exercise – 3**

Fill each blank in the following sentences with an appropriate Conjunction:

1. Three \_\_\_\_\_ three make six.
2. Is his name Sen \_\_\_\_\_ Gupta?
3. He will not come \_\_\_\_\_ it rains.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ you run, you will not overtake him.
5. He is very rich \_\_\_\_\_ he is not happy.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ I return, stay where you are.
7. He was punished, \_\_\_\_\_ he was guilty.
8. He behaved \_\_\_\_\_ a brave man should do.
9. There is no doubt \_\_\_\_\_ the earth is round.
10. I wonder \_\_\_\_\_ he will come.

11. He is witty \_\_\_\_\_ vulgar.
12. Will you kindly wait \_\_\_\_\_ I return?
13. Karim is tall, \_\_\_\_\_ Abdul is taller.
14. He lost his balance \_\_\_\_\_ fell off the bicycle.
15. He tried hard \_\_\_\_\_ did not succeed.
16. Is this my book \_\_\_\_\_ yours?
17. Water \_\_\_\_\_ oil will not mix.
18. They left \_\_\_\_\_ we returned.
19. The vase will break \_\_\_\_\_ you drop it.
20. I shall not go out now \_\_\_\_\_ it is raining very heavily.
21. Trains run from this station every few minutes \_\_\_\_\_ we shall not have to wait.
22. Man proposes \_\_\_\_\_ God disposes.
23. Time \_\_\_\_\_ tide wait for no man.
24. Virtue ennobles. \_\_\_\_\_ vice degrades.
25. This \_\_\_\_\_ that must suffice.
26. The train was derailed \_\_\_\_\_ no one was hurt.
27. She writes slowly \_\_\_\_\_ neatly.
28. I believe him \_\_\_\_\_ he is truthful.
29. You will not get the prize \_\_\_\_\_ you deserve it.
30. Send for me \_\_\_\_\_ you want me.
31. Hari will do all right, \_\_\_\_\_ he perseveres.
32. Catch me \_\_\_\_\_ you can.
33. He told me \_\_\_\_\_ you had arrived an hour ago.
34. You will never succeed \_\_\_\_\_ you try.
35. \_\_\_\_\_ I were you, I'd keep quiet.
36. Wait \_\_\_\_\_ I come.
37. Be just \_\_\_\_\_ fear not.
38. Tell me \_\_\_\_\_ you understand.
39. We will come, \_\_\_\_\_ it rains \_\_\_\_\_ hot
40. Make hay \_\_\_\_\_ the sun shines.
41. It is a long time \_\_\_\_\_ we last saw him.
42. Please write \_\_\_\_\_ I dictate.
43. It is hoped \_\_\_\_\_ all will go well.
44. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ poverty \_\_\_\_\_ riches.
45. He is taller \_\_\_\_\_ I (am).

46. \_\_\_\_\_ I cannot get away, I will go next week.
47. \_\_\_\_\_ you wish it, it shall be done.
48. Why is our food so sweet? \_\_\_\_\_ we earn before we eat.
49. Take heed \_\_\_\_\_ you fall.
50. He gazed so long \_\_\_\_\_ both his eyes were dazzled.
51. \_\_\_\_\_ there is life there is hope.
52. Walk on \_\_\_\_\_ you come to the gate.
53. They say \_\_\_\_\_ he is better.
54. I have been in such a pickle \_\_\_\_\_ I saw you last.
55. His plans \_\_\_\_\_ vast, were never visionary.
56. Some people live \_\_\_\_\_ they may eat.
57. He went \_\_\_\_\_ I came.
58. He will starve \_\_\_\_\_ he will steal.
59. There were more people \_\_\_\_\_ we had expected.
60. \_\_\_\_\_ there is something to be done, the world knows how to get it done.
61. \_\_\_\_\_ I grant his honesty I suspect his memory.
62. \_\_\_\_\_ I am poor, I am not dishonest.
63. No one knows \_\_\_\_\_ he went.
64. Come \_\_\_\_\_ you please.
65. Do \_\_\_\_\_ you ate bidden.
66. He must have passed this way, \_\_\_\_\_ there is no other road.
67. \_\_\_\_\_ respected, he is not liked.
68. We all know \_\_\_\_\_ sin and sorrow go together.
69. I don't know \_\_\_\_\_ he will be here.
70. Grievances cannot be redressed \_\_\_\_\_ they are known.
71. We shall fail \_\_\_\_\_ we are industrious.
72. \_\_\_\_\_ it was late we decided to set out.
73. I am well, \_\_\_\_\_ I do not feel very strong.
74. \_\_\_\_\_ he is there, I shall see him.
75. How can he buy it \_\_\_\_\_ he has no money ?
76. \_\_\_\_\_ you are not ready, we must go on.
77. The building has been razed \_\_\_\_\_ I visited the city.
78. Love not sleep, \_\_\_\_\_ thou come to poverty.
79. He bled so profusely \_\_\_\_\_ the died.
80. I know you better \_\_\_\_\_ he (does).

## CONJUNCTIONS KEY

### Exercise – 1

1. Unless – Subordinating	2. After – Subordinating
3. Till – Subordinating	4. And – co-ordinating
5. If – Subordinating	6. When – Subordinating
7. Before – Subordinating	8. For – co-ordinating
9. Since – Subordinating	10. Lest – Subordinating
11. If – Subordinating	12. Before – Subordinating
13. After – Subordinating	14. Because – Subordinating
15. Than – Subordinating	16. Before – Subordinating
17. Until – Subordinating	18. If – Subordinating
19. Than – Subordinating	20. Or – Co-ordinating
21. Unless – Subordinating	22. Whether – Subordinating
23. Else – co-ordinating	24. If – Subordinating
25. For – Co-ordinating	26. If – Subordinating
27. Or – co-ordinating	28. Than – Subordinating
29. Either ...or- co- ordinating	30. Whether..or-Co- ordinating

**Exercise – 2**

1. And	2. But
3. For	4. Or/else/otherwise
5. Unless	6. That
7. Till	8. Till
9. Though/although	10. Lest
11. As/because	12. As/because
13. Than	14. If
15. Unless	16. Than
17. As	18. If
19. So that	20. Though/although

**Exercise – 3**

1. And	2. Or	3. If
4. Unless	5. Yet	6. Until
7. For	8. As	9. That
10. When	11. Though	12. Till
13. But/and	14. And	15. But
16. Or	17. And	18. As/when
19. If	20. As / because	21. So/and
22. But	23. And	24. But
25. Or	26. But	27. But/and
28. As / because	29. Unless	30. When/whenever/if
31. If	32. If	33. That
34. Unless	35. If	36. Till
37. And	38. Whether	39. Whether..or
40. While/when	41. Since	42. As
43. That	44. Neither. ..nor	45. Than
46. Since	47. Since	48. Because
49. Lest	50. That	51. While
52. Till /	until	53. That

54. Since	55. Though	56. So that
57. As/when/before/after	58. Before	59. Than
60. If	61. Though/although	62. Though/although
63. Where	64. When / whenever/if	65. As
66. As/because	67. Though/although	68. That
69. If/whether	70. Unless	71. Unless
72. Though/although	73. But	74. If
75. If	76. Though/although	77. Since
78. Lest	79. That	80. Than