

* Compound
Sentences

*The second type of sentence is the compound sentence. This sentence is composed of two simple sentences joined together by a comma and a joining word (**coordinating conjunction**). We could also describe a compound sentence as two independent clauses joined by a conjunction. There are seven coordinating conjunctions. The FANBOYS (for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so)

***What is a Compound Sentence?**

*The computer crashed, so I lost all my work.

- ✓ The first simple sentence is: **The computer crashed.**
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: **I lost all my work.**
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: **so**

*Example 1

* I tried to speak Spanish and my friend tried to speak French.

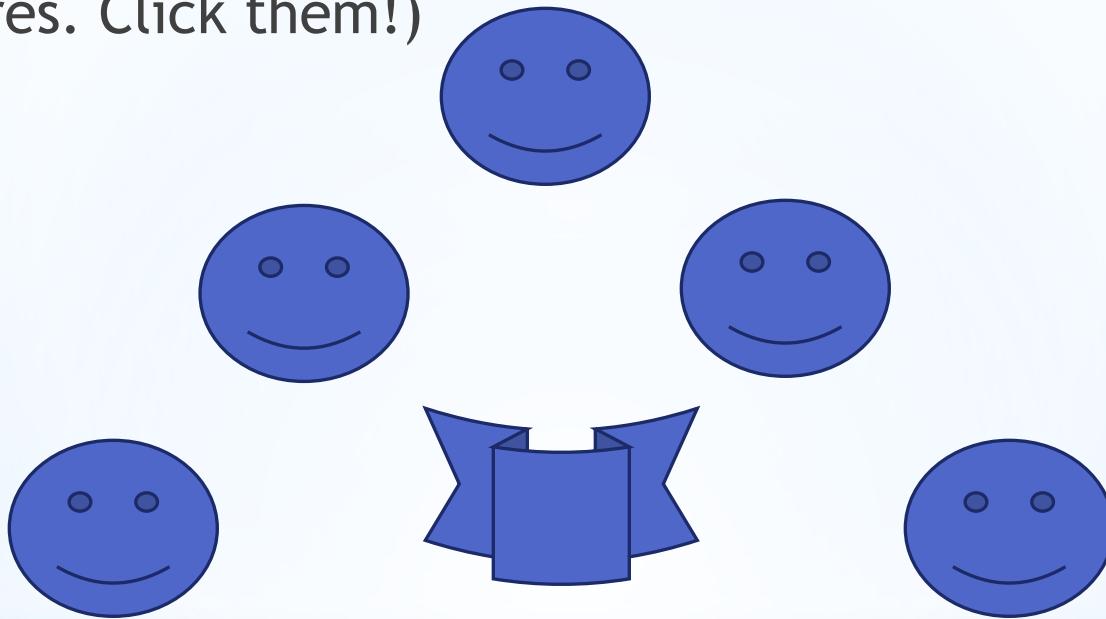
- ✓ The first simple sentence is: I tried to speak Spanish.
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: My friend tried to speak French.
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: and

* Example 2

*Now you know
what is a compound
sentence!

Now, let's have an exercise!

* Identify what are the simple sentences and coordinating conjunction stated inside the compound sentences : (Choose any figures. Click them!)



If you are done with this activity, press this button:



* Alejandro played football, so Maria went shopping.

- ✓ The first simple sentence is: Alejandro played football.
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: Maria went shopping.
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: so



- * The job was not done, but they needed to rest and eat.
- ✓ The first simple sentence is: **The job was not done.**
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: **They needed to rest and eat.**
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: **but**



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- *The job was not done; on the other hand, they needed to rest and eat.
- ✓ The first simple sentence is: **The job was not done.**
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: **They needed to rest and eat.**
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: **on the other hand**



- * I was tired from working late, but I had to go to class anyway.
- ✓ The first simple sentence is: I was **tired from working late**.
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: I **had to go to class anyway**.
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: **but**



*He couldn't go home, for he had no place to go.

- ✓ The first simple sentence is: **He couldn't go home.**
- ✓ The second simple sentence is: **He had no place to go.**
- ✓ The coordinating conjunction is: **for**



*Thank you