1. Complex sentence with adverb clauses

An adverb clause tells when, where, why, how, how far, how often, and so on. It always begins with a subordinating conjunction that expresses the relationship between the adverb clause and the independent clause

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| **Time (when?)** | |
| After  As, just as  As long as  As soon as  Before  Since  Until  When  Whenever  while | After we ate lunch, we decided to go shopping.  Just as we left the house, it started to rain.  We waited as long as we could  As soon as the front closed, I looked for for my house key  I thought I had put I it in my pocket before we left  I haven’t locked myself out of the house since I was ten years old  Until I was almost twelve, my mother pinned the key to my coat  When I turned twelve, my mother let me keep the key in my pocket  I usually put the key in the same place whenever I come home.  While I searched for the, it started raining harder and harder. |
| **Place (where?)** | |
| Where  Whenever  Anywhere  everywhere | I like to shop where prices are low  I try to shop wherever there is a sale  You can find bargains anywhere you shop  I use my credit card everywhere I shop |
| **Reason (why)** | |
| As  Because  since | I can’s take evening classes as I work at night  I can’t take evening classes because I work at night  I can’t take evening classes since I work at night |
| **Result (with what result?)** | |
| So +adjective+ that  So+adverb+that  Such a(n) + noun + that  So much/ many/ little/few + noun + that | I was so tired last that I fell asleep at dinner  She talks so softly that the other students can’t hear her  It was such an easy test that most of the students got A’s  He’s taking so many classes that he has no time to sleep |
| **Contrast** | |
| Although  Even though  Though  opposition | I love my brother although we disagree about almost everything. |
| **Opposition** | |
| While  Whereas | My brother likes classical music, while I prefer hard rock  He dresses conservative, whereas I like to be a little shocking |
| **Manner (how)** | |
| As, just as  As if  As though | I love to get flowers as most women do  You look as if you didn’t sleep at all last night  She acts as though she doesn’t know us. |
| **Distance (how far? How near? How close?)** | |
| As + adverb + as | We will hike as far as we can before it turns dark |
| **Frequency (How often)** | |
| As often as | I call my parents as often as I can |
| **Purpose (for what purpose?** | |
| So that  In order that | Many people emigrate so that their children can have a better life |
| **Condition** | |
| If  unless | We won’t go hiking if it rains  We won’t hiking unless the weather is perfect |

1. Complex sentence with Adjective Clauses

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| **To refer to humans** | |
| Who, whom, whose, that (informal) | People who live in glass houses shouldn’t throw stone  My parents didn’t approve of the man whom my sister married  An orphan is a child whose parents are dead |
| **To refer to nonhuman and things** | |
| Which  that | My new computer, which I bought yesterday, stopped working today |
| **To refer to a time or a place** | |
| When  where | Thanksgiving is a time when families travel great distance to be together.  An orphanage is a place where orphans live |

1. Complex sentence with noun clause

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| That | Do you believe that there is life in outer space? |
| Whether  Whether or not  Whether …. or not | I can’t remember whether I locked the door  whether or not I locked the door  whether I locked the door or not |
| If  If … or not | I can’t remember if I looked the door |
| Who, whoever,  Whom, which,  What, where,  When, why, how,  How much, how many,  How long,  How often | Whoever arrives at the bus stop first should buy the tickets  Maria told me which teacher was the best  Do you know where the bus station is?  I couldn’t believe what I heard  I don’t know why they didn’t come to the party  Don’t worry about how much they cost.  We should ask how long the trip takes |

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1. It looked rain. I took my umbrella to work.
2. I was tired. I stayed up late to finish my home work.
3. The weather was beautiful. We asked the teacher to move class outside
4. Jill studying for final exams, she didn’t answer her phone.
5. My sister is an excellent cook, While I can’t even fry an egg
6. It is the car .I has dreamed it many years ago.
7. I receive an email. I didn’t understand
8. It rains. We won’t go to the beach
9. Student work more than twelve hours. Student shouldn’t take more than three classes
10. Students have a A average. Students do not have to take final exam
11. Everyone knows. Global warming is a serious problem.
12. Environment wonder. We can reserve the damage or not.
13. Recent measurement has shown. Ice has melted in the Arctic.
14. I don’t know. She lives
15. I met the doctor. The doctor’s wife is my English teacher.