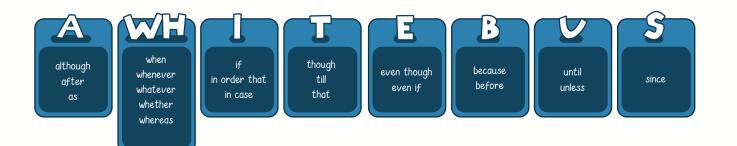
Subordinate Clauses and Subordinating Conjunctions



Challenge 1

<u>Underline</u> the subordinate clause.

- 1. The man struggled to cross the road because he had broken his leg.
- 2. Even though Longfield was busy, Sharon enjoyed her trip to the shops.
- 3. When the guitarist began to play, the shoppers ran towards the fountain to listen
- 4. Mr Jones shouted for help as his dog quickly ran away.

Challenge 2

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Pick a multi-clause sentence from Challenge 1 above and change the position of the subordinate clause. Write your multi-clause sentence below, remembering to check your punctuation carefully.

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Challenge 3

Pick a subordinating conjunction to complete the multi-clause sentences below. Is there more than one you can choose?

- 1. _____ the guitarist had finished playing, the crowd cheered.
- 2. The teenager dropped the litter on the floor _____ he walked along the street.
- 3. _____ the decorator had finished painting, he climbed down from the roof.
- 4. The golf clubs on the roof of the car fell off _____ the car braked suddenly.

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Challenge 4

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Read each multi-clause sentence in the table and tick whether the clause underlined is the main clause or the subordinate clause. Pick one and convince me that you are correct.

Multi-clause sentences	Main clause	Subordinate clause
1. Although it was raining, <u>Tommy walked to the shop</u> .		
2. Mum is taking me to buy some new shoes after she finishes work.		
3. <u> like to eat pepperoni pizza</u> because it is delicious.		
4. I <u>f you finish your work</u> , you can go out to play.		