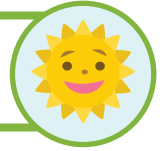




# Compound Sentence Practice



**Compound Sentences:** A compound sentence is made up of two or more complete sentences connected by a **conjunction** ( a joining word ) such as **and, but,** or **so.**

**A**

**B**

Erin practices archery.  
 Erin hopes to participate in the Olympic Games.  
 Erin has many friends who practice archery.  
 Erin makes her own arrows.  
 Erin's sister is a medal-winning archer.  
 Erin received her first bow when she was five years old.

She's a great woodsmith.  
 She enjoys spending time with several friends who are also archers.  
 She's had a love of archers for as long as she can remember.  
 She goes rock-hunting for arrowheads.  
 She's extremely disciplined.  
 She's convinced archery runs in her family.  
 She hopes to sling a bow all across the globe.

**Directions:** Create your own compound sentences on the lines below by combining a sentence from column A with one from column B and connecting them with a conjunction. You can use sentences more than once.

**Sentences:** **Sample answers. Student answers will vary.**

1. **Erin practices archery, and she's extremely disciplined.**  
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2. **Erin hopes to participate in the Olympic Games, and she hopes to sling a bow all across the globe.**  
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3. **Erin has many friends who practice archery, so she enjoys spending time with several friends who are also archers.**  
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4. **Erin makes her own arrows, and she's a great woodsmith.**  
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5. **Erin's sister is a medal-winning archer, so she's convinced archery runs in her family.**  
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6. **Erin received her first bow when she was five years old, and she's had a love of archers for as long as she can remember.**  
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