

# Write Compound Sentences

A **compound sentence** is made up of two simple sentences connected by a comma and a conjunction. A conjunction is a joining word such as **and**, **or**, **but**, or **so**.

Example of a **compound sentence**:

Maya remembered her backpack, **but** she forgot her jacket.

simple sentence

↑  
comma  
and  
conjunction

simple sentence



## Directions

On each line below, write a compound sentence. In each sentence, circle the conjunction and underline the two simple sentences.

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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