Fixing run-on sentences with conjunctions

Grade 4 Sentences Worksheet

Rewrite these run-on sentences as one sentence using a conjunction. Add a comma if necessary.

Choose from these conjunctions:

A **run-on sentence** can be corrected by adding a comma and a coordinating conjunction such as <u>and</u>, <u>but</u>, <u>or</u>, <u>so</u>, and <u>yet</u>. It can also be corrected by using a subordinating conjunction such as <u>after</u>, <u>before</u>, <u>once</u>, <u>although</u> and <u>while</u>.

| after | before | once | although | as if | as | because |
|----------|---------|--------|-------------|-------------|----------|---------|
| still | even if | if | even though | in order to | now that | since |
| than | that | unless | until | when | whenever | where |
| wherever | while | and | but | or | so | yet |

- 1. Harper loves to play cards she plays every day with her family.
- 2. I saw Lori at the park she was running with her friend.
- 3. We need to do our homework we are allowed to play video games.
- 4. He fell in the pond my brother fell last year.
- 5. She wanted to go to the beach he wanted to sleep.
- 6. We can eat ice cream we finished all of our vegetables.
- 7. Mandy will buy the book there are no copies of the book left at the library.
- 8. Brady is going to follow us we decide to go.
- 9. My family will go to the restaurant we go to sleep.
- 10. The shirt was dirty I forgot to wash it yesterday.



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Answers

Answers may vary.

- 1. Harper loves to play cards, so she plays every day with her family.
- 2. I saw Lori at the park while she was running with her friend.
- 3. We need to do our homework <u>before</u> we are allowed to play video games.
- 4. He fell in the pond where my brother fell last year.
- 5. She wanted to go to the beach, and he wanted to sleep.
- 6. We can eat ice cream <u>since</u> we finished all of our vegetables.
- 7. Mandy will buy the book <u>unless</u> there are no copies of the book left at the library.
- 8. Brady is going to follow us wherever we decide to go.
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