

**first**

**next**

**then**

**later**

**after**

**after a while**

**finally**

**at last**

**soon**

**meanwhile**

**just then**

**all of a sudden**

**suddenly**

**lastly**

**before**

**while**

**when**

**eventually**

**in December**

**on 15th January**

**following that**

Name:

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# Time Conjunctions Mini Test

1. **Circle** all of the conjunctions in the sentence below.

The dog fell asleep before he had eaten his lunch.

1 mark

2. **Write** three sentences using **after** as a conjunction.

1 mark

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Tick one box** in **each row** to show if the underlined conjunction is a conjunction for time or a conjunction for cause.

1 mark

Sentence	conjunction for time	conjunction for cause
I like warming up before I go training.		
I want to play football because I like being fit.		
My stomach hurts when I eat too many sweets.		

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4. Look at the sentence below and **reorder the words** to make a new sentence that begins with the conjunction.

1 mark

We finished our drawings after we had tidied up.



5. Write a time conjunction in the space provided to complete the sentence.

1 mark

the alarm woke me, I was in the middle of a dream.



\*\*END OF TEST\*\*

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2 Multiple answers possible. Award 1 mark for any correct answer.

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One example might be:

After the rain stopped, the sun came out.

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**Challenge:**

2. Create two sentences of your own using time conjunctions.

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\_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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