

Combining Two Simple Sentences to Form a Compound Sentence

Rewrite the two simple sentences as a compound sentence using the words **and**, **or**, **but**, or **so**.

1. I like turtles. Cats are my favorite animals.

2. It was very hot outside. The ice cream melted quickly.

3. The bus pulled up in front of the house. Alice ran out.

4. They took a boat ride. They went fishing.

5. I have to eat all my dinner. I can have dessert.

6. Joe likes video games. He doesn't like computers.

7. Laura likes to swim. Laura likes to hike.

8. Lucy will go to sleep. Lucy will be tired in the morning.

9. Beth likes to read books. Beth likes to write stories.

10. Steven studied hard. Steven will pass the test.

11. The team won the game. They hope to win the tournament.

12. Deb likes to sing. She doesn't like to sing in front of people.

13. Mr. Turbo likes to drive fast. He should be careful.

14. Harry bought a tent. Harry bought a sleeping bag.

15. The mime made a silly face. The kids laughed.