English Lesson 2

Wednesday 10th March 2021
L.O. I am learning to identify and write
compound sentences.

RECAP: Write at least two simple sentences about this picture on your whiteboards.





Both of these simple sentences make sense on their own.

Co-ordinating Conjunction

The children walked to the train and they were carrying heavy suitcases.

Main Clause (Simple Sentence)

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When we link them together with a conjunction, they form a compound sentence.



https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z4m8r2p

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What is a main clause?

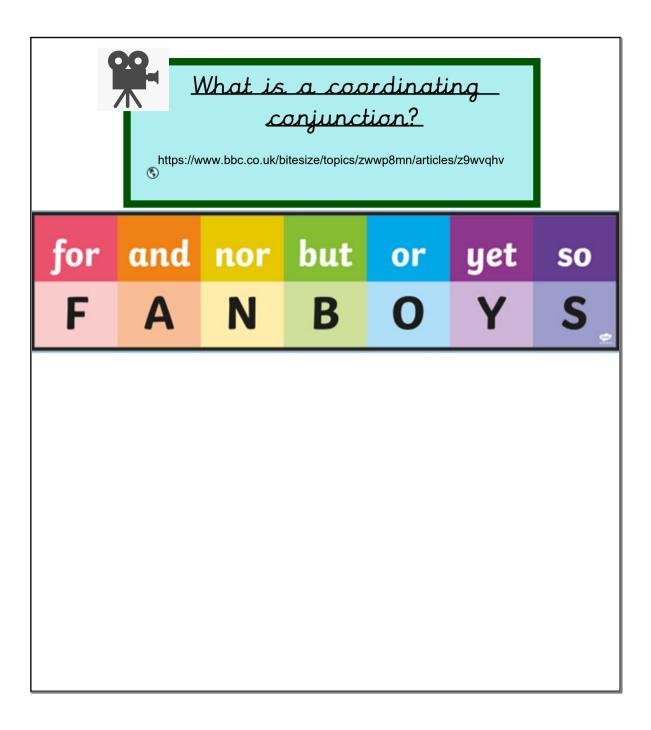
A simple sentence can also be called a main clause.

A main clause is a group of words that contains a verb and a subject which makes complete sense on its own.

Write out these compound sentences and underline the main clauses.

- World War Two began in 1939 and it started when Germany invaded Poland.
- Many children were evacuated to the countryside so they would be safe.
- Britain lost many battles but they won the war.

Can you spot the link between the words not underlined?

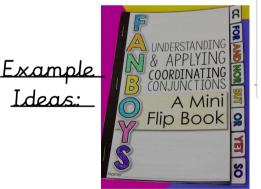


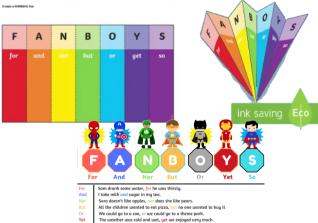
Create your own resource to help you write compound sentences.

Pink/Orange- Create a resource to help you remember coordinating conjunctions (FANBOYS).

Green- Create a resource to define a compound sentence and help you remember coordinating conjunctions

(FANBOYS).





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Example sentence:

Pink/Orange- Write at least 6 compound sentences about this picture. Pink - There is a worksheet to help you.

Green- Write two compound sentences about this picture. Then stick in and complete the statement question.

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Green

'Compound sentences are better to use than simple sentences in your writing.'

Do you agree with Maurice? Explain your ideas with examples.