

Worksheet two: Compound sentences

Combine the following pairs of simple sentences in compound sentences, using one of these coordinating conjunctions: *and, but, or, so*

1. The final exam was in November.
Results were received in December.

2. The patient was in severe pain.
The nurse gave her a morphine injection.

3. The exam was in four days.
The students were studying hard.

4. The students liked doing the pracs.
The students hated doing the lab reports.
(Change the subject of the 2nd sentence to a pronoun)

5. Changeover in the ward was a very busy time.
Everyone was working very hard.

6. It's important to keep weight at an appropriate level.
Exercise is important.

7. Bones need to be used to heal properly.
Patients need to have gentle exercise during rehabilitation.

8. One nurse gave the patient a shower.
Another nurse made the bed.