



and - but - so - because



And = links two related things. (I like tea and coffee. I work in prison and education.)

But = links a positive (+) and negative (-) idea. (I like swimming but I don't like dancing. I like tea but I don't like coffee.)

So = gives a result. (I was tired so I went to sleep. I was hungry so I ate my lunch.)

Because = gives a reason. (I went to sleep because I was tired. I ate my lunch because I was hungry.)

Why..? = Because...

Put **and**, **so**, **but** or **because** into the sentences.

1. My friend plays tennis _____ football.
2. I am studying English _____ I love languages.
3. He went to the shops _____ he didn't buy anything.
4. He doesn't play the guitar _____ he plays the drums.
5. She can paint well, _____ she can't cook.

Put **and**, **so**, **but** or **because** into the sentences.

6. I like fish _____ chips.
7. I was thirsty _____ I drank a glass of water.
8. I was late _____ my car didn't start.
9. My watch stopped _____ I missed the bus.
10. They went to the cinema _____ the theatre.

Fill in the sentences about you.

1. I like _____ **and** _____.
2. I like _____ **but** I don't like _____.
3. I was _____ **so** I _____.
4. I am _____ (number) years old **because** I was born in _____ (year).

