

Lecture Sheet, Final Term, 2020**Class: 3, Subject: English Language****Prepared by: Afroza Akter Eva****Teacher, Banasree Campus****Topic: Conjunction (And, but, or)****Lecture-1****Date-19.10.2020 /Day-Monday**

Conjunction

Conjunction is a word used to connect clauses or sentences or to coordinate words in the same clause.

Examples of Conjunctions

In the following examples, the conjunctions are in bold for easy recognition:

- I tried to hit the nail **but** hit my thumb instead.
- I have two goldfish **and** a cat.
- You can have peach ice cream **or** a brownie sundae.

And

- used to connect words or parts of sentences.

- a) Give me bread and butter.
- b) Sue and I left early.
- c) Do it slowly and carefully.
- d) Can he read and write?
- e) She bought apples and bananas.

But

- **but** – for contrast

- a) *I eat cake, **but** I never eat biscuits.*
- b) I speak French but I've never been to France.
- c) I'd like to go, but I don't have any money.
- d) Ana loves oranges, but she hates pears.
- e) Tom ran, but he missed the bus.

Or

- **or** – before an alternative

- a) *Would you like cake **or** biscuits with your coffee?*
- b) We can have a holiday, or we can save our money.
- c) Can we have a picnic, or is the weather too bad?
- d) You can have the blue pen or the red pen.
- e) Can we have a picnic, or is the weather too bad?