

# ESL 340: Adverb Clauses

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Don't forget to sign-in!

## **Daily Bookkeeping**

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS:



- Textbooks for sale Claudia Spataro
  - Contact her on the Remind app
- Grammar/Reading Quiz THUR Apr 5
  - Adjective Clauses & Phrases
  - Adverb Clauses & Phrases
  - Reading, unit 2
- Phrasal Verb Quiz 3 TUE May 1
  - "run out of" "write down"

#### HOMEWORK:

- *Read pp. 282-283*
- Label all of the blue adverb clauses by type:
  - Time, place, reason, condition, contrast (use p. 285)
- Answer the COMPREHENSION questions (EX. B) on p. 284
  - You can write this in your book; I will not collect it

#### TODAY'S AGENDA:



- 1. Review midterm
- 2. Review syllabus & plans until the end of the semester
- 3. Introduce adverb clauses (time & reason)
- 4. Phrasal verbs



- I use the Remind App to make class announcements
- Follow these instructions to sign-up for class announcements that will be texted to you automatically
  - You do NOT need to download the Remind App, but you can if you want to SEND messages back to me

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**Answer any questions that follow** 

#### Review Midterm

- The highest score was 46/50
- I decided to **CURVE THE SCORES**, which means I changed the maximum score from 50/50 → 46/46

- You cannot keep your test
- Do not take pictures of the test
- Do not write down questions or answers

#### Adverb Clauses

- Adverb clauses are dependent clauses that indicate how, when, where, why, or under what conditions things happen
  - I went home when the game was over.
  - She dropped out of the race because she was injured.
  - Everywhere I go, I try to have a good time.
  - Your grades will improve if you practice at home.

- They also indicate a contrast of information
  - They won the game although the score was very close

## Exercise 1, p. 288

- 2. Contrast
- 3. Reason
- 4. Time
- 5. Condition
- 6. Contrast
- 7. Time
- 8. Contrast
- 9. Place
- 10. Time

## Exercise 2, p. 289

- Let's see how much we already know about adverb clauses (and sports!)
   before we learn about each type in depth!
- 1. Before
- 2. If
- 3. unless
- 4. after
- 5. Though
- 6. When
- 7. until
- 8. If



#### Time Clauses

- These indicate when something happens
  - The race will start **as soon as** everyone is in place.
  - We always drink water before we start a game.
- Some time clause words:
  - After, as, as soon as, before, by the time, once, since, until, when, whenever, while, etc.
  - Have you used all of these?

#### Once

- Once means starting from the moment something happens
  - She will earn a lot more money once she finishes her degree.
  - Once I get paid, I will write you a check.
  - She felt a lot more independent once she moved out of her parents house.

## Until/till

- "Until" and "till" mean the same thing
- They mean *up to a certain a time*, but "till" is only used in conversation

- I'll wait here until they arrive.
- I can't leave the house until my mom gets here to watch the puppy.
- Until we meet again, I will be waiting.

#### Note

 Remember that if you are making a complex sentence in the future ("will" or "be going to"), the dependent clause is not in the future tense

- We'll leave when they get here.
- I am going to scream as soon as we get to Halloween Horror Nights.
- By the time Christmas comes, I will be exhausted!

### VERB TENSE PRACTICE

- 1. B
- 2. D
- 3. C
- 4. D
- 5. D
- 6. A
- 7. B
- 8. C

- 9. B
- 10. B
- 11. B
- 12. A
- 13. D
- 14. B

4:00	Judy left her house
4:15	Judy parked her car in the mall parking lot and headed inside
4:25	Unbeknownst to Judy, a thief broke into her car & stole her radio
4:45	Judy returned to her car with a new pair of jeans
4:45	Judy discovered the broken window
4:46	Judy called the police
4:55	The police arrived
4:55	Judy began crying in frustration

"by the time"

"after"

"while"

"when"

"just as"

#### Place Clauses

- These indicate where something happens
  - Major athletes are popular wherever they go.
  - Professional sports are played where there are big stadiums.
- Some place clause words:
  - Anywhere, everywhere, where, wherever, etc.
  - Have you used all of these?
- Anywhere I go, ...
- I want to go where...

## Why (REASON) Clauses

- These indicate why something happens
  - She won the medal **because** she had practiced tirelessly.
  - As I am very sick, I can't go to Las Vegas this weekend.
  - Now that Jack is unemployed, he can't pay his bills.
- Some why clause words:
  - As, because, now that, since, etc.
  - Have you used all of these?

## "Now that"

- "Now that" means "because now"
  - Now that I have finished the semester, I'm going to rest a few days and take a trip.
  - <u>Because I have finished the semester now</u>, I'm going to rest a few days and take a trip.
- "Now that" is used for present <u>causes</u> of present or future <u>actions!</u>

#### Note

- Both "since" and "as" can be used in both time clauses and why (reason) clauses
  - Since Anna doesn't like sports, she refused to go to the game.
  - Anna has been waiting since she arrived at the game.
  - He had to drop out of the game as he was badly hurt.
  - As he was running, he fell and hurt himself.
- WHEN "SINCE" IS USED AS A REASON, THE PRESENT PERFECT IS NOT ALWAYS NECESSARY!!!

#### **PRACTICE**

- Take a look at the handout from the teacher (Adverb Clause Practice)
- Combine the sentences using subordinating conjunctions of reason



#### **ANSWERS**

- 1. Now that the weather is warm, we can...
- 2. Since the students had done poorly on the test, the teacher decided...
- 3. Because it is heavier than hot air, cold hair hovers...
- 4. Since you paid for the theater tickets, please let me...
- 5. Now that the rain has stopped, do you want to for a walk?
- 6. Because our TV set was broken, we listened...
- 7. Since there are few jobs available in rural areas, many young...
- 8. Now that the civil war has ended, a new government is being...
- Since 92,000 people already have reservations with an airline company for a trip to the moon, I doubt that...

## Expected or Unexpected?

- Look at these two sentences
- Which sentence expresses an unexpected result?
  - Because I was tired, I went to bed early.
  - Even though I was very tired, I stayed up late.



### Contrast Clauses

- These indicate a contrast between the two clauses
  - He lost the race although he was favored to win.
  - Even though she is tall, she doesn't want to be a model.
- Some why clause words:
  - Although, even though, though, whereas, while, etc.
  - Have you used all of these?

## Unexpected Result

- Although, even though, and though are used to show an unexpected result
  - Though is quite young, he was selected for the team.
  - I got hired even though I don't have a lot of experience.
- Note: contrast clauses almost always include a comma (before or after)

You try!

## Expected or Unexpected?

 Fill in the blank with either a subordinating conjunction of reason or contrast to show if it was expected or unexpected • Tim's in good physical shape \_\_\_\_\_ he doesn't exercise much. Melissa has a job, she doesn't make enough money to support her four children. Yoko has a job, she is able to pay her rent and feed her family. Joe speaks Spanish well \_\_\_\_\_ he lived in Mexico for a year. • A newborn baby kangaroo can find its mother's pouch \_\_\_\_\_ its eyes are not yet open. • \_\_\_\_\_ the earthquake damaged the bridge across Skunk River, the Smiths

were able to cross the river \_\_\_\_\_ they had a boat.

#### **Direct Contrast**

- While and whereas show a direct contrast (not necessarily unexpected information)
  - While skiing is very expensive, basketball is cheap.
  - I like dogs whereas my roommate prefers cats.
  - Which one is more formal?

### While

While is used both for contrast and time!

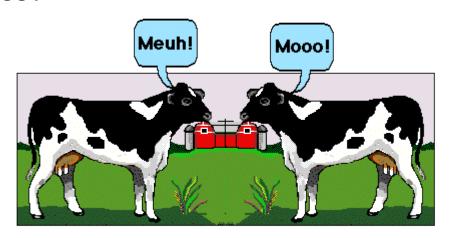
- While they lost the game, they played their best.
- We ate while we were watching the game.
- I can't believe she won, while her sister lost.
- I can't believe she won while he sister was losing.

## Complete the Sentences

- Some people have curly hair while \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- Whereas some people only know their native language, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
- Some people prefer to live in the country whereas \_\_\_\_\_.
- While \_\_\_\_\_, others like a quiet night in.
- Some people \_\_\_\_\_ whereas \_\_\_\_\_.
- Some countries \_\_\_\_\_ while \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Differences Between Me and You

- Using the handout provided by the teacher, complete some information about yourself
- Now, find someone else in the class to interview and record their responses to the same question
- Analyze the information and create some sentences of contrast to share with the class!



#### **Condition Clauses**

- These indicate under what conditions something happens
  - If he apologizes profusely, she will take him back.
  - She won't answer his calls **unless** he apologizes.
- Some condition clause words:
  - Even if, if, only if, unless, in case, etc.
  - Have you used all of these?

## What do they mean?

- Unless = something will happen or be true if another thing does <u>not</u> happen or is <u>not</u> true
  - Unless you train a great deal, you won't be a champion.
    - This will not happen unless you do this.
  - I can't go to the movies unless I clean my room.
    - Can you change these sentences to "only if"?
  - Unless...

#### Practice!

- Complete each sentence TWICE! Once with "if" and once with "unless"
- The teacher will be absent tomorrow...
  - ...if he is not feeling good.
  - ...unless he is feeling good.
- 2. She is going to stay up until two in the morning...
- 3. You can't travel abroad...
- 4. You'll get hungry during class...
- 5. I won't be able to take pictures at the concert tonight...

## What do they mean?

- Even if = the condition does not matter; the result will be the same
  - Even if he practices constantly, he won't make the team.
  - Even if I live in France for a year, I will never learn French.
  - Even if...

## "Even if" practice

- Do these sentences have the same meaning?
- Even if I get an invitation to the reception, I'm not going to go.
  - I won't go to the reception without an invitation.
- Even if you don't want help, I plan to be at your house at 9:00.
  - I'm going to help you no questions!
- I have to go to work tomorrow even if I don't feel better.
  - Whether I go to work or not depends on how I feel.
- I won't forgive John even if he apologizes.
  - I don't care if John apologizes. I will feel the same way.









## "Even if" Situations

• Using the handout (Exercise 28, p. 380) write sentences about these situations using "even if"

## What do they mean?

- In case = in order to be prepared for a possible future happening
  - We'd better take along some extra money in case we run into difficulties.
  - I am going to invite this girl I'm dating to the party in case my ex is there.
  - In case...

## "Unless" Practice

• Using the handout (Exercise 30, p. 381) combine the sentences using "in case"

## What do they mean?

- Only if = only one condition will produce a result
  - Bi-Yun will make the team only if another athlete drops out.
  - I will see the movie only if it gets good reviews.
  - Only if...
  - Inversion occurs if the sentence begins with only if!

## "Only if" Practice

Continuation of exercises from Azar handout

## Exercise 3, p. 290

- **Although** Greek city-states were often at war with one another, Olympic contestants stopped fighting during the games.
- After they had been held over 1,000 years, the ancient Olympic Games were outlawed by the Roman emperor Theodosius I
- **Because (Since)** Romans thought Greeks wore too few clothes, Theodosius outlawed the games in 393.
- French educator Pierre de Coubertin revived the Olympics since (because) he thought they would promote international peace.

## Exercise 3, p. 290

- Tug-of-war was dropped from the Olympics in 1920 when (after, because, since) American and British athletes disagreed about how it should be played.
- New Olympic sports often first appear as demonstration events before they are adopted as medal sports.
- Any sport can potentially become a medal event if it can be scored and fulfills certain criteria.

#### Exercise 4

