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ENGLISH

Conj - Day - 1

Grammar

Basic To Advance

Conjunction (Day - 2)

LIVE 
9:30 AM



- ① Reason ✓
 - ② Contrast ✓
 - ③ Seldom or never / Seldom if ever
- (And)
- } Give



CONJUNCTION PART- 2

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



1) CONJUNCTIONS OF CHOICE

1) nor – for two non-contrasting grammatically negative items
"negative term"

➤ He doesn't eat cake, **nor** does he eat biscuits.

Rule – Whenever subjects are connected using — or / nor / either-or / neither-nor ; not only-but also always select a verb and a pronoun as per the nearest sub.

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



1) CONJUNCTIONS OF ~~REASON~~ Choice

2) or – before an alternative

$\begin{matrix} \text{Op} \text{ or } \text{Ph} \\ S_1 / S_2 \end{matrix}$

➤ Would you like cake **or** biscuits with your coffee?

Question ✓

① Either ^{S₁} Raju or ^{S₂} his family members ^{A₁} along with his best friend ^{A₂} has ^{have} done this

— Select everything as per the 1st Subject.

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

3) **After** – later than the time
that : later than when.

(Next point of time)

➤ Call me after you
arrive at work.

- ① Reason ✓
- ② Contrast ✓
- ③ Option
- ④ Mis-

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

4) **Before** – earlier than the time that : earlier than when.

➤ Come and visit me before you leave.

He did this after I had asked him to

Note → Whenever two action occurred one after another in the past.

Former = Past Perfect.

Latter = Simple Past.

Connect

"Before / After"

Peters
"Simple"
after it

prefer
"Perfect"
after it

NOTE - Questions

(Max) - Entire ✓ - coll - id



① Although you have helped me a lot ~~but~~ I cleared
✓ this exam only with my own efforts. ✓ 2/4et

② Seldom or ever have I tried to ignore any of
your questions with answering them for once.

Seldom if ever — when the action is executed ✓

Seldom or never — when the action is not
performed.

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

Interrogative Adverb — When we start our sentence with "how"
Conj. — used somewhere within the sentence.

5) How — in what manner or way.

➤ Let me show you how to knit.

Question

① He knows how to swim. ✗

g. Adverb

② How are you?

(Note)

✗

Know + how + Infinitive.

how
what
whom

any "wh/H" word

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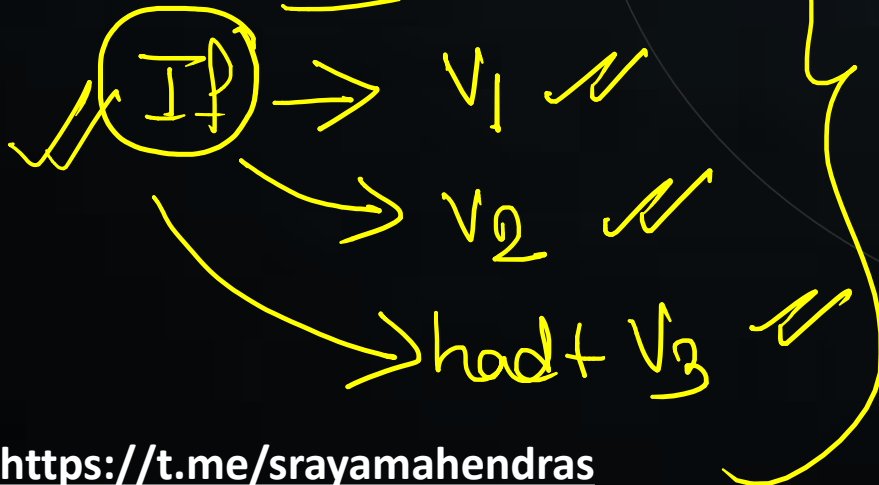
2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

Qm ——— Tense

6) **If** - used to talk about the result or effect of something that may happen or be true. (Condition) ✓

➤ It would be fantastic if you could come to the party. (V₂)

→ Conditional



the verb that
follows

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

7) Than – used to introduce the second or last of two or more things or people that are being compared.

➤ My sister is older than I am.

Use it with comparative degrees.

Your
Sister is

Older than

prefer = ~~than~~
✓ to

Rule – Always use similar / same cases of personal pronoun in case of comparison using "than"

① You are better than ~~me~~. I / I am

② Mother loves you more than ~~I~~ me.

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

8) That – used to introduce a clause that states a reason or purpose. ✓

➤ Olivia is so happy that it's summer again. ✓

Direct to Indirect → add "that"

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

9) Until – up to the time or point that something happened”

➤ We stayed up talking until the sun came up.

Functions of Coordinating Conjunctions



2) SOME MISCELLANEOUS CONJUNCTIONS

10) Unless - Can be used to introduce an exception to a statement (in case of condition)

➤ The professor said not to email her unless you have a logistical question.

Note → "Until & Unless" are negative term and thus will never be followed by any negative verb.

① He will wait until his turn ~~will not come~~ ^{comes}
② Unless you ~~will not study~~ you will not clear the exam.

RULE 1



1) The officer was doubtful (a)/ if some of the clerks (b)/ of his office were (c)/ involved in bribery (d)/ No Error (e)

whether — or not

RULE 1



2) I don't know (a)/ ^{whether} if any of the members (b)/ of the party is conspiring (c)/ against the President or not (d)/ No Error (e)

(50)

Rule

any/ every/ each etc

+ Sub(s) + Verb(s) + Pronoun(s)
+ of + Sub(p)
+ Verb(s)
+ Pronoun(s)

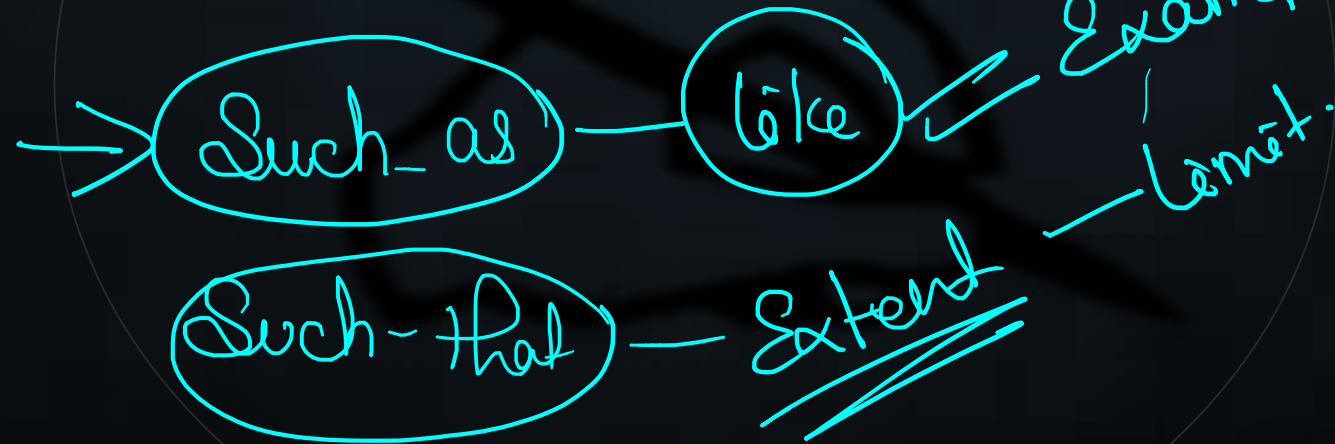
RULE 2



3) His offence was such (a)/ ~~as~~ ^{that} he was bound to suffer (b)/ and ultimately (c)/ meet his doom (d)/ No Error (e)

~~Like~~

~~Everyone of~~



RULE 3



4) I cannot allow you to (a)/ go out of the class (b)/ ~~unless~~ the teacher comes (c)/ and gives me some instructions. (d)/ No Error (e)





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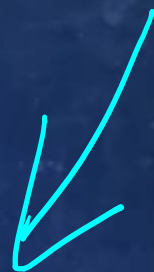
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