Name _____ Date _____

Conjunctions

A conjunction joins words or ideas: and, but, or, so, because.

A. Circle the conjunction in each sentence.

1. I have a pen and a pencil.
2. We can stay or go.
3. I fell, but I got up.
4. She smiled because she won.
5. It was dark, so we used a flashlight.
6. Dad and I made soup.

B. Write and, but or or.

1. Do you want a hot dog _____ a burger?
2. I like ham _____ cheese.
3. The game was fun, _____ it was too short.
4. We can paint _____ play outside.
5. I ran fast, _____ I didn't win.

C. Join the sentences. Use so or because.

1. It was hot. I got ice cream. (so)

2. I wore boots. It was muddy. (because)

3. The dog was hungry. I fed him. (so)

D. Finish the sentence.

I like

because

Answer Key

A. Circle the conjunction in each sentence.

1. **and**
2. **or**
3. **but**
4. **because**
5. **so**
6. **and**

B. Write and, but or or.

1. **or**
2. **and**
3. **but**
4. **or** (and also works)
5. **but**

C. Join the sentences.

1. It was hot, **so** I got ice cream.
2. I wore boots **because** it was muddy.
3. The dog was hungry, **so** I fed him.

D. Finish the sentence.

Answers will vary. Check that there is a reason after because.