

# Sentence Combining Strategies Review

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Answer the questions below based on what you learned about combining sentences and improving writing style.

1. What conjunction can be used to connect similar ideas?

- A. Or
- B. But
- C. And

2. Using conjunctions and relative pronouns helps us combine sentences and create more \_\_\_\_\_ writing.

3. Why is it important to vary our sentence structure in writing?

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4. Relative pronouns help connect different thoughts within sentences.

- True       False

5. Which of the following is a relative pronoun?

- A. And
- B. But
- C. Who

6. A soft answer turns away wrath, but harsh words stir up \_\_\_\_\_.

7. Name two conjunctions that you can use to combine sentences.

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8. Combining sentences can make your writing less sophisticated.

- True       False

9. What is one effect of using a soft answer as described in Proverbs 15:1?

- A. It causes anger
- B. It promotes peace
- C. It creates confusion

10. When we combine sentences, we make our writing more \_\_\_\_\_ and enjoyable to read.

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## Answer Key

1. And    2. sophisticated    3. Varying sentence structure makes our writing more interesting and keeps the reader engaged.    4. True    5. Who    6. anger    7. You can use 'and' and 'because' to combine sentences.    8. False    9. It promotes peace    10. varied