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Conjunctions: But and Or



BUT: Contrast

- Used to show contrast between two ideas.
- Example:
- Layla hates coffee, but I like it.
- لیلی تکره القهوة لكنني احبها.



BUT: Unexpected Result

- Example:
- We looked for the book everywhere, but didn't find it.
- Meaning: We expected to find it, but we didn't.



BUT: Not this, but that

- Example:
- He didn't say a word, but kept silent all the time.
- Example:
- Zaki didn't waste his time, but worked hard.



Special structure: so + auxiliary

- Example:
- He likes apples, but so does everyone in his family.
- Meaning: the same is true for others.



Or: Choice

- Example
- We can go now, or wait until tomorrow.
- Example:
- They may borrow the book or buy it.



Or: Questions / Alternatives

- Example
- Was he born poor, or did he waste his money?
- Example:
- Am I dreaming, or did the manager resign?



Result, Condition, Sequence

- Result:
- She handed him the letter and he began to read it.
- Condition:
- Move , and you will be sorry.
- Sequence:
- She finished her studies and returned home.