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# Conjunctions Test With Cool Music...

## Reading Level 3

### Part One | Identifying Coordinating Conjunctions

**Directions:** Read each sentence. Determine which one of your answer choices is being used as a coordinating conjunction. Circle your response.



- World famous country crossover group The Mountain Boys were coming to town and Leah had tickets.
  - and
  - to
  - were
  - had
- Shanta's new song "Don't Touch Me" featured popular banjoist Chris Pepper so Katie had to hear it.
  - new
  - so
  - had
  - to
- Dr. Dance's new video was about to premier but Jackie couldn't find the remote controller for the TV.
  - was
  - new
  - but
  - couldn't
- Leah wanted to give her extra Zoo Festival ticket to either her best friend Tanya or her sister Katie.
  - give
  - or
  - her
  - to
- Leah decided to go home after Zoo Festival for she had a big pile of homework to complete.
  - had
  - after
  - of
  - for
- The Mountain Boys put on a rocking performance at Zoo Festival yet few of their fans were in attendance.
  - yet
  - few
  - of
  - were

7. Chris Pepper's new dance is called "The Pepper Stepper" and all the school-aged children are doing it.

- a) all
- b) and
- c) are
- d) new

8. Rick couldn't score tickets to the Zoo Festival so he resignedly watched a stream of the event online.

- a) the
- b) to
- c) of
- d) so

### Part Two | Identifying Subordinating Conjunctions

**Directions:** Read each sentence. Determine which one of your answer choices is being used as a subordinating conjunction. Circle your response.

9. Zak and Rick emphatically agreed that Lil' Biggy was the greatest rapper ever.

- a) and
- b) was
- c) that
- d) the

10. When Ghoulie Julie was caught lip-syncing at the Forest Festival, Chris tore all her posters off his wall.

- a) When
- b) off
- c) all
- d) was

11. Leah couldn't decide whether she should wear her red dress or her blue miniskirt to Zoo Festival.

- a) or
- b) whether
- c) should
- d) to

12. Gary Tacoma, the front man from The Mountain Boys, can play the banjo while he square dances.

- a) can
- b) the
- c) he
- d) while

13. Rumors abounded that Lil' Biggy and Shanta were the music industry's latest power couple.

- a) and
- b) that
- c) the
- d) were

14. Zak wanted to ask Tanya if she would accompany him to the Zoo Festival.

- a) if
- b) him
- c) would
- d) the

15. Dr. Dance always encouraged kids to stay in school when he gave motivational speeches.
- a) when
  - b) in
  - c) always
  - d) to
16. The crowd was cheering uproariously for Shanta until she tripped over a power cord and fell off the stage.
- a) and
  - b) for
  - c) until
  - d) over
17. Chris Pepper's mom lectured him about decency because she saw the footage of him taking off his shirt at shows.
- a) about
  - b) because
  - c) off
  - d) at
18. Dr. Dance ate a submarine sandwich on stage as he performed in front of a packed audience.
- a) a
  - b) as
  - c) in
  - d) on
19. Shanta didn't want to make a song with Dr. Dance since Dr. Dance ate turkey sandwiches and Shanta was a vegetarian.
- a) and
  - b) with
  - c) a
  - d) since

### Part Three | Choosing the Correct Conjunction

**Directions:** Read each sentence. Determine which conjunction would best complete each sentence. Circle your response.

20. Chris Pepper wore his shiniest suit to the awards ceremony \_\_\_\_\_ he didn't win any awards.
- a) how
  - b) that
  - c) yet
  - d) or
21. The Mountain Boys were going to do a free show in their hometown \_\_\_\_\_ they could promote their new album.
- a) how
  - b) even if
  - c) ever since
  - d) so that
22. Neither Jackie \_\_\_\_\_ Leah were able to score tickets to the sold-out Dr. Dance concert.
- a) or
  - b) nor
  - c) and
  - d) for

23. Lil' Biggy still raps about the streets \_\_\_\_\_ he now lives in an extravagant mansion.

- a) once
- b) as soon as
- c) ever since
- d) even though

24. Jenna heard Chris Pepper's new electronic dance track, "Pull My Finger, Baby," \_\_\_\_\_ Leah got to hear it.

- a) although
- b) but
- c) before
- d) yet

25. Chris Pepper lost much of his fan base \_\_\_\_\_ the tabloids printed those photographs of him eating his boogers.

- a) that
- b) how
- c) than
- d) when

26. The Mountain Boys were going to play at Zoo Fest \_\_\_\_\_ they couldn't find their big hats and had to cancel the performance.

- a) but
- b) nor
- c) than
- d) that

27. Jenna, Leah, and Jackie are all bigger Chris Pepper fans \_\_\_\_\_ I am.

- a) so
- b) that
- c) and
- d) than

28. The Mountain Boys would not perform on stage \_\_\_\_\_ they were wearing their signature ten-gallon hats.

- a) how
- b) unless
- c) nor
- d) than

29. Lil' Biggy fired his manager \_\_\_\_\_ she couldn't book a show for him at Zoo Festival.

- a) until
- b) although
- c) because
- d) unless

30. Shanta refused an offer to headline at the Zoo Festival \_\_\_\_\_ zoos keep animals in cages.

- a) before
- b) that
- c) once
- d) since