

And, but, or, so, because

- **And** es la conjunción copulativa y en español. Puede unir varias palabras o frases:

- *I have a book, a pen **and** a pencil in my bag.*
- *Paul **and** Sarah are at home.*
- *I work in a school. **And** I also work in a hospital.*
- *She comes here every day **and** we´re friends.*

- **But** es la conjunción adversativa *pero* en español y va precedida de coma:

- *I´m hungry, **but** the fridge is empty.*
- *It´s raining a lot, **but** it´s warm.*
- *I want to go on holidays, **but** I don´t have any money.*
- *She lives in Italy, **but** she doesn´t speak a word of Italian.*

- **Or** es la conjunción disyuntiva *o*, que puede unir palabras o frases:

- *Do you like tea **or** coffee?*
- *I don´t like bananas, oranges **or** apples.*
- *We can go to the cinema **or** we can stay at home.*
- *They don´t work **or** do anything.*

- **So** es una conjunción resultativa que une oraciones (en español, *por tanto*, *por eso*...):

- *It was raining, **so** we didn´t go out.*
- *I don´t have money, **so** I can´t go shopping.*
- *Mary insulted him, **so** he was very angry.*
- *We use lots of paper every day. **So**, we must recycle.*

- **So that** tiene un uso diferente (*para que*...):

- *I´m buying a present for him **so that** he´s happy.*
- *She tells jokes **so that** we laugh.*

- **Because** es una conjunción causal, *porque* en español:

- *He´s cleaning the house **because** it´s very dirty.*
- *I´m taking my umbrella **because** it´s raining.*
- *They´re tired **because** they work many hours.*