Conjunction Match

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Here are some complex sentences that have been split up. Draw lines to match the **main clause** to the **subordinate clause**. The first one in each example has been done for you.

Sentences using 'when'

We can open the Christmas

presents when

Julia opened her umbrella **when**

The pirate fired the cannon **when**

Spain won the World Cup when

it started to rain.

the battle began.

they beat Germany in the final.

everybody wakes up.

Sentences using 'if'

I will put my coat on if

You can play outside if

Cinderella could go to

the ball **if**

The pirate could find the jewels **if**

you finish your homework.
he had the treasure map.
she finished her housework.

the weather turns cold.

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Sentences using 'that'

The tooth fairy took the tooth **that**

I ate the delicious food that

Michael has a new phone that

Susie wore the dress that

my mum made for me. he talks on all the time.

her grandparents bought her.

had been left for her.

Sentences using 'because'

The squirrel climbed up the tree **because**

Hansel and Gretel ate the sweets **because**

Jim was feeling sad because

The family went for a picnic **because**

they were very hungry.

it was a beautiful day.

he was looking for nuts.

his new toy was broken.

Challenge

Try to write two sentences of your own using either 'when', 'if', 'that' or 'because'.