

**List 1-10 and label the word as  
DM=dependent marker or  
C=conjunction.**

1. and
2. when
3. however
4. but
5. because
6. although
7. for
8. consequently
9. thus
10. though



**Write the 5 sentences below and identify the independent clauses with an underline and the (dependent clause with parentheses). Next, label the sentence as simple (S), compound (CPD), complex (CX), or compound-complex (CPD-CX). Cross out phrases.**

- 1. Despite disliking the rain, living in Portland is nice when the sun is out.**
- 2. I hope you will visit.**
- 3. Ruth, a young girl, loves ice cream, but she does not like chocolate.**
- 4. Going to a school that has high expectations is an important job for teenagers; learning will determine their future choices.**
- 5. Because school starts in the morning, I wake up early, and I leave my house before daylight.**

**6.** The man who talked to you is my boss, but he is also my friend.

**7.** I like coffee; you like coffee when I'm buying.

**8.** The new iPhone, a shiny gadget, is out; however, I don't know if I want one.

**9.** I like that you are ready to learn.

**10.** I hope you will be happy.

**11.** Cats are cute; however, puppies are cuter.

**12.** I believe that you will have a good life.

**13.** The man who left that suitcase is looking for it, so I will take it to him.

**14.** Rosie, an excellent student, has perfect attendance.

**15.** I hope you know this answer.

**The following paragraph is an example of eight different sentence styles:**

In order to achieve his goal, Cooper ran eight blocks. He ran the eight blocks because he was in a hurry, for he needed to buy bindings for his snowboard. The snowboard shop closed at 6:00, and he needed the bindings for the following morning. Cooper, who is Mrs. Langdahl's son, made it to the shop by 5:55. Snowboarding thrills Cooper; he goes whenever possible. Before he learned to snowboard, he loved to watch it on television. Now, Cooper doesn't need to spend hours watching it on television because he can go snowboarding himself. Snowboarding has become Cooper's favorite activity; however, in spite of his obsession with snowboarding, he still manages to complete all of his work.