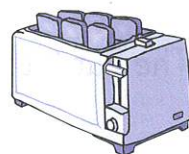


## Warm up

1. Underline the **subordinating conjunctions** in the passage below.



I can't wait to use my new toaster when it arrives. It looks very fancy, although I don't know how it actually works. I hope I like it because it was quite expensive.

3 marks

2. Circle the correct spelling from each pair of words below.

thoroughfare / thoroughfare	toughest / toughest
fought / fourt	plaughing / ploughing

2 marks

3. Add **commas** to these sentences to make their meaning clearer.

After they finished cooking Bob Sue and Rik watched TV.

When we were painting Tom Leila and I listened to music.

Before they met Fiona Jamal and Lin were best friends.

3 marks

4. Underline the sentences that contain a **subjunctive form**.

The match was nearly over. Abby demanded that Sophie pass her the ball. She was the best player, and she ran so fast. Sometimes, it looked as if she were flying.

2 marks

5. Write down two words that belong to the same **word family** as the words below.

before                      forearm                      unforeseen

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2 marks

6. Read the passage and answer the questions.

Earthquakes occur at plate boundaries, where the pieces of the Earth's crust meet. At some plate boundaries, these pieces are grinding against each other. Sometimes, they get stuck, which causes pressure to build up. When this pressure is released, it causes an earthquake.

The largest earthquake ever recorded was the Great Chilean Earthquake of 1960. It caused considerable damage, destroying several towns and creating tidal waves which travelled across the Pacific Ocean to Japan.

What does the word 'grinding' mean in the passage?

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What does the word 'considerable' tell you about the damage?

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Give one consequence of the Great Chilean Earthquake.

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3 marks

Score: