

Uncle George Sentences

Uncle George gave Lily two furry puppies when he came to stay.

Lily loved the puppies because they were cuddly and fluffy.

Lily cuddled the furry puppies that Uncle George had given her.

If she squashed them up a bit, Lily could fit all the toys in her bed.

Unit 2 Day 2

Subordinating Conjunctions

Subordinating conjunctions introduce a subordinate clause, i.e. a clause that doesn't make sense on its own.

Subordinate clauses are added to an independent clause, i.e. a clause that does make sense on its own.

REMEMBER: *a clause needs a subject and an active verb.*

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See how a dependent clause is added to each of these sentences:

Lily played on the rug.

When Uncle George visited, Lily played on the rug.

Baby liked to play with Blue Kangaroo.

Baby liked to play with Blue Kangaroo, **if** he could.

Blue Kangaroo could not sleep at all.

Because he was worried about the other toys, Blue Kangaroo could not sleep at all.

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Add a subordinate clause to each of these sentences, using one of the subordinating conjunctions to link the two clauses. Write the new sentences underneath.

Mrs Appleby gave Lily a green crocodile.

Great Uncle Arthur gave Lily an owl.

Lily's cousin, Amelia, gave her a little teddy.

Baby wanted to play with Blue Kangaroo.

Unit 4 Day 2

Lily's Birthday 2

Read each sentence. **Choose** a conjunction. **Add** a subordinate clause. **Write** your idea out as a complete sentence.

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- Mrs Appleby gave Lily a green crocodile.
- Lily held each hand of the tiny teddy.
- Lily threw the paper to the floor
- The baby started to crawl towards Blue Kangaroo.
- Great Uncle Arthur's gift was a long-eared owl.
- Lily remembered to say thank-you.
- Brown bear sat propped against the sofa.
- Dad put his hand on baby's back.
- All the guests were smiling.

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