



Answer Key · מפתח · الإجابات

Reading a short text and writing a paragraph (and, but, then, because)

1 Match the question word to the answer.

התאימו את מילת השאלה לתשובה.
صل كلمة السؤال بالإجابة.

Column A

1. Who?
2. Where?
3. When?
4. Why?
5. What?
6. How many?

Column B

- 2 at the park
- 4 because it was hot
- 1 Noa and her brother
- 3 on Friday
- 5 a sandwich
- 6 three

2 Complete with and or but.

השלימו ב־and או ב־but.
أكمل بـ and أو but.

- a. I have a cat **and** a dog.
- b. Ben likes math, **but** he doesn't like history.
- c. We went to the beach **and** swam in the sea.
- d. The bag is big, **but** it isn't heavy.
- e. Maya **and** Shira are best friends.

3 Complete the reasons with words from the bank.

השלימו את הסיבות במילים ממחסן המילים.
أكمل الأسباب بكلمات من بنك الكلمات.

- a. I am wearing a coat because **it is cold**.
- b. Tom is happy because **it is his birthday**.
- c. We stayed home because **it was raining**.
- d. Yoav went to bed early because **he was tired**.

4 Match the two halves.

התאימו בין שני החצאים.
צל בין הנצפים.

Column A

1. I drank a lot of water
2. We went to the mall
3. Itay likes dogs,
4. First we ate dinner.
5. Noa is smiling

Column B

- 4 Then we watched a film.
- 5 because she won the race.
- 2 and bought new shoes.
- 1 because I was thirsty.
- 3 but he doesn't like cats.

5 Sort the sentences: and, but or because?

מיינו את המשפטים: and, but או because?
סַףּ הגמל: and אִם but אִם because?

and	but	because
She is tall and strong., I like pizza and pasta.	It was sunny, but it was cold., He ran, but he missed the bus.	I stayed home because I was sick., We laughed because the film was funny.

6 Choose the correct linking word.

בחרו את מילת הקישור הנכונה.
אִתְר אָדָה הרבט הַחִיבָה.

- a. I wanted to go out, ___ my mom said no.
☐ because ☐ and ☒ **but**
- b. We cleaned the room. ___ we went to play.
☒ **Then** ☐ But ☐ Because
- c. She is crying ___ she lost her doll.
☐ but ☒ **because** ☐ then
- d. Omer plays the piano ___ the guitar.
☒ **and** ☐ because ☐ then

7 Join the sentences. Use the word in brackets.

חברו את המשפטים. השתמשו במילה שבסוגריים.
ארבו את המשפטים. השתמשו במילה שבסוגריים.

- a. I was hungry. I ate a sandwich. (because) → **I ate a sandwich because I was hungry.**
- b. We went to the park. We played soccer. (and) → **We went to the park and played soccer.**
- c. The film was long. It was very good. (but) → **The film was long, but it was very good.**
- d. Dad was angry. The dog ate his shoe. (because) → **Dad was angry because the dog ate his shoe.**

8 Put the sentences in the correct order to make a paragraph. Write the numbers 1–4.

סדרו את המשפטים בסדר הנכון כדי ליצור פסקה. כתבו את המספרים 1–4.
רְבֵּב הַיּוֹמָה בַּתְּרִיב הַשְּׁחִיחַ לְתִכּוֹן פִּקּוּדָה. אִכְתֵּב הָאַרְבָּע 1–4.

- a. Then we had lunch on the grass. → **3**
- b. Last Saturday my family went to the park. → **1**
- c. It was a wonderful day because we were all together. → **4**
- d. First, we rode our bikes around the lake. → **2**

10 Read "The Best Day of the Year". Write True or False. Correct the false sentences.

קראו את "The Best Day of the Year". כתבו True או False. תקנו את המשפטים הלא נכונים.
אִקְרָא "The Best Day of the Year". אִכְתֵּב True או False. שְׁחֲחַ הַיּוֹמָה הַשְּׁחִיחַ.

- a. The sports day is in June. **False** – It is in May.
- b. The weather was very hot this year. **False** – It was sunny, but not too hot.
- c. Ariel finished third in the race. **True**
- d. Ariel's class won the tug-of-war. **True**

11 Answer the questions about the text.

ענו על השאלות על הטקסט.
أجب عن الأسئلة حول النصّ.

- a. What do the students wear on sports day? → **White T-shirts.**
- b. Why was the tug-of-war very hard? → **Because the other team was strong.**
- c. What did the parents bring? → **Watermelon and cold drinks.**
- d. Why does Ariel think it is the best day of the year? → **Because everybody plays and nobody studies.**

12 Find the linking word in the text.

מצאו את מילת הקישור בטקסט.
جد أداة الربط في النصّ.

- a. sunny, **but** not too hot
- b. He wasn't the fastest, **but** he finished third
- c. **Then** his class played tug-of-war
- d. It was very hard, **because** the other team was strong

13 Write a paragraph (4 lines) about your favorite day of the year. Use and, but, then and because. Begin with an opening sentence and finish with a closing sentence.

כתבו פסקה (4 שורות) על היום האהוב עליכם בשנה. השתמשו ב־and, but, then ו־because. התחילו במשפט פתיחה וסיימו במשפט סיום.
اكتب فقرة (4 أسطر) عن يومك المفضل في السنة. استعمل and و but و then و because. ابدأ بجملة افتتاحية وأنه بجملة ختامية.

Possible answer: My favorite day of the year is Purim. I dress up in a funny costume, and I go to a party at school. Then we give gifts of food to our neighbors. I love Purim because everyone is happy.