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# Punctuating Sentences with Conjunctive Adverbs

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**Example:** George had to sell his horse, thus his riding days were over.  
George had to sell his horse; thus, his riding days were over.

1. The snow kept Sally from jogging, anyway she had homework to do.

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2. The dance finished early, finally we could get something to eat.

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3. It is very hard to learn to swim of course it will be worth it in the end.

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4. Bob really wants a new car however he can not afford it.

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5. We will go to a movie then we will have some dinner.

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6. He stayed up all night playing games consequently he overslept this morning.

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7. You need to eat your vegetables otherwise you will not b healthy.

\_\_\_\_\_

8. She did not try her best so she did not make the team.

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9. Let's go for a walk meanwhile the roast will finish cooking.

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10. Bob and Ellen decided not to go to the party likewise I changed my mind, too.

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**B. Instructions:** Use each conjunctive adverb in a new sentence:

however	also	of course
still	since	

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_



# Answer Key: Punctuating Sentences with Conjunctive Adverbs

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(or: The snow kept Sally from jogging. Anyway, she had homework to do.)
2. The dance finished early; finally, we could get something to eat.  
(or: The dance finished early. Finally, we could get something to eat.)
3. It is very hard to learn to swim; of course, it will be worth it in the end.  
(or: It is very hard to learn to swim. Of course, it will be worth it in the end.)
4. Bob really wants a new car; however, he can not afford it.  
(or: Bob really wants a new car. However, he can not afford it.)
5. We will go to a movie; then, we will have some dinner.  
(or: We will go to a movie. Then, we will have some dinner.)
6. He stayed up all night playing games; consequently, he overslept this morning.  
(or: He stayed up all night playing games. Consequently, he overslept this morning.)
7. You need to eat your vegetables; otherwise, you will not be healthy.  
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8. She did not try her best; therefore, she did not make the team.  
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10. Bob and Ellen decided not to go to the party; likewise, I changed my mind, too.  
(or: Bob and Ellen decided not to go to the party. Likewise, I changed my mind, too.)

**B. Responses will vary.**

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still	since	