

UNIT 1: and, both ... and, as well as, together with

1. 'and' and 'both... and' are used to join two sentences.

Example A

Todd likes to play soccer. Jimmy likes to play soccer.

Answer 1

Todd **and** Jimmy like to play soccer.

Answer 2

Both Todd **and** Jimmy like to play soccer.

NOTE:

'like' is used for both answers. It will be a mistake to use 'likes' or 'liked' in either sentences.

2. 'as well as' and 'together with' are used like 'and'. Keep in mind that the verb follows the first subject at the start of the sentence.

Example B

Dinah goes to school by bus. Dinah's friends go to school by bus.

Answer 1

Dinah, **as well as** her friends, goes to school by bus.

Answer 2

Dinah, **together with** her friends, goes to school by bus.

NOTE:

'goes' is used in both sentences. When a sentence contains the phrases 'as well as' or 'together with', the first person or people (in this case, Dinah) mentioned will determine if the verb takes on a singular or plural verb form.

Exercise

For each question, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s).

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1. Janet went for a swim. Adrian went for a swim too.

Both _____ and _____

2. Agnes is sweet. Agnes is charming too.

_____ both _____ and _____

3. Christine is my classmate. Derrick and Andy are in my class too.

_____ as well as _____

4. I am going to the party. Susan is coming with me.

_____ together with _____

- *5. The champion and his dogs are making their way to the stage

_____ together with _____

6. The monitor and the keyboard came in the same box.

_____ together with _____

7. The shirt is yellow. It has some green in it too.

_____ and _____

8. The boys bought a skateboard from the new store this morning.

_____ and _____

9. Forty years ago, Father and Uncle Bob went to this school.

Both _____ and _____

- *10. The twins are going fishing this weekend. The twins' family is going fishing this weekend.

_____ as well as _____
