

Although / Even though

Despite / In spite of

(Use to link a **Positive & Negative** point together)

Example:

Although the weather was very bad, we went to the beach.

Even though he has little money, he is a very generous person.

Despite the bad weather, we went to the beach.

In spite of having little money, he is a very generous person.

Put in **Although** or **Despite**

_____ he is 80 years old, he still walks 3km every day.

_____ living in Dublin, he works in Kildare.

_____ she is quite quiet, she is very sociable and likes to go out.

_____ the cold weather, we had a picnic in the park.

_____ the recession in Ireland, he managed to keep his job.

_____ he likes animals, he doesn't have any pets.

Put in **Even though** or **In spite of**

_____ being very kind and generous, he doesn't have many friends .

_____ she has been to Paris, she wants to go back again.

_____ the busy traffic, she got to work on time.

_____ having little money, he likes to travel when he can.

_____ there was nothing good on TV, he didn't turn it off.

_____ he left his house early, he was still late for his appointment.

However / Nevertheless
(+ & -)

Example:

It rained during his entire holiday. However, he still had a great time.
I didn't know anybody at the party. Nevertheless, I enjoyed myself.

The park was closed. However,
went / beach / to the / we / instead _____

The weather was awful. Nevertheless,
got / we / for / half / out / an hour _____

He has very little money. Nevertheless,
is / a very / man / he / generous _____

He doesn't have a mobile phone. However,
is / a sociable / He / person _____

She loves music. However,
doesn't / an instrument / She / play _____

Finish these sentences

They don't play sport. However, _____

He lives in the countryside. However, _____

They don't have a lot of money. Nevertheless, _____

He is a very wealthy man. Nevertheless, _____

Can you write these sentences correctly?

went / In spite of / to the / we / the rain / park

Tom / went / Even though / to / was sick / work / he

the bad traffic / I / on time / Despite / arrived

can't / went / we / Although / Italian / to Rome / speak / we

didn't / my job / Despite / lose / I / the economic downturn

he / at home / the sunny / Despite / stayed / weather

Even though / earn / much / he / he / is / happy / doesn't / money

it is / he / wearing / isn't / cold / a jacket / Although

Despite / little / he / having / an iPhone 14 / money / bought

Even though / is / walks / 80 years old / he / 5km / per day / he

Finish these sentences.



In spite of the bad weather, _____

Despite having little money, _____

Even though I don't speak English fluently, _____

Although I'm not from Ireland, _____

In spite of the rain in Ireland, _____

Even though Dublin is quite a small city, _____

Despite the high cost of living in Ireland, _____
