**LINKING DEVICES**

**Words showing**

* **addition**

and, also, both… and, not only… but also,  besides, moreover, furthermore, in addition, what is more, equally, etc.

* **comparison and similarity**

like(wise), similarly,  correspondingly, in the same way, equally important, etc.

* **concession**

(even) though, although,  despite, nevertheless, after all, etc.

* **Conclusion**

in summary, to sum up, finally, in conclusion, on the whole, in brief/short, etc.

* **contrast**

but, however, nevertheless, unlike, on the other hand, on the contrary, contrary to, in contrast, in contrast to, yet, whereas, instead, except for, etc.

* **cause and effect**

for (= because), therefore, accordingly, as a result, consequently, for this reason, because (of this), etc.

* **emphasis**

in fact, certainly, actually, indeed, as a matter of fact, surely, above all, most importantly, etc.

* **Example**

for example/instance, that is, such as, in particular, etc.

* **inference** in (that) case, otherwise, that implies, then, etc.
* **reason and consequence**

thus, hence, so (+ words under cause and effect)

* **reformulation**

in other words, to put it more simply, etc.

* **sequence**

first(ly), second(ly), finally, to begin with, etc.

* **transition**

as far as…is concerned, incidentally, now, to return to, as for/to, etc.

**EXAMPLES**

**SLUČOVACÍ**

**and a** *John and Mary are here. Come and have a drink.***as well as**  i, také, jakož i *I as well as you know that*.  
**both ... and** i ... i, jak-tak *It is both good and cheap*.

*ODPOROVACÍ*

**but ale** He is ill but he doesn’t complain.  
**although, though** ačkoliv, přestože *I drank the beer although I didn’t want it.***yet** avšak, ale, no, stejně *These books are cheap yet good.*  
**still** avšak, přece, no přece *Still, you ought to help them.*  
**however** ale, přece, avšak *Later, however, she made up her mind to go.*  
**nevertheless** stejně, a přece, i tak *It was dark. Nevertheless, she found the way.*

*VYLUČOVACÍ*

**or** nebo Are you sad or happy? *You can go right or left.*  
**either ... or** buď ... anebo *Either tell the truth or say nothing.*  
**neither ... nor** ani ... ani *It is neither green nor blue.*

*PŘÍČINNÉ*

**nor** ani *He won’t help her. Nor will I.*  
**for** protože *You have to take at least three books a year, for that is how the club works*.

*DŮSLEDKOVÉ*

**so, thus** tak, nuže, proto *I have just ordered three books, so I’ll be easy.*  
**therefore** proto, a tak, tedy *There has been heavy rain. The ground is therefore very damp.*

**PODŘADÍCÍ SPOJKY (SUBORDINATING CONJUCTIONS)**

Spojují vedlejší a hlavní větu. Stojí na začátku vedlejší věty.

*OBSAHOVÉ*

**that** že *I know that he is very clever.***whether** jestli, zda, zdali *Ask him whether it is time to go.*

*ČASOVÉ*

**when** když, až *When I come back, I will go to church.***till, until** dokud *Let’s wait till the rain stops.*  
**after** (potom) když; poté, co ... *It always rains after I’ve cleaned the windows.***before** než; dříve, než ... *Have some tea before you go.*  
**since** od té doby, co ... *I haven’t seen her since she left.***as soon as** jen co, jakmile *I’ll come as soon as I finish working.*  
**no sooner ... than** sotvaže *Eve had no sooner sat down than the bell rang.*  
**while** zatímco, dokud *Please be quiet while I am talking to you.*  
**as** když *I saw him as he was getting off the bus.*  
**as long as** pokud, dokud *You can stay as long as you like.*

*MÍSTNÍ*

**where** kde, kam *There are many lakes where I live.*  
**wherever** kdekoli, kamkoli *Wherever you go, you’ll find him.*

*PŘÍPUSTKOVÉ*

**although, though** ačkoli, i když, třebas i *Though he is small, he is very strong.*  
**in spite of the fact that** přestože, ačkoliv *In spite of the fact that he is young, he is very rich*.

*PŘÍČINNÉ*

**as** protože, jelikož *As you are tired, you’d better take a rest.*  
**because** protože, poněvadž *I drink because I am thirsty*.  
**since** protože, jelikož *Since we have a lot of work, it’s better to start early.*

*PODMÍNKOVÉ*

**if** jestliže, kdyby, zdali, -li *If she comes, I will tell you*.  
**unless** když ne, kdyby ne *I will leave at four unless they phone me.*  
**provided that** pod podmínkou, že ... *They will lend it to me provided that I return it on time.*  
**supposing that** za předpokladu, že ... *Supposing white were black you would be right.*

*ÚČELOVÉ*

**that, in order to** aby *We’ll mail all the information in order to save some time.*  
**so that** aby *I wrote it to him so that he could know it.*

*ZPŮSOBOVÉ*

**as** jak, tak jako *She doesn’t speak as other teachers do.*

**as if (as though)** jako by, jako kdyby *She behaved as if nothing had happened.*  
**so ... that** tak, že *It was so heavy that he could not move it.*  
**such ... that** takový, že *It was such a boring speech that I fell asleep.*

*SROVNÁVACÍ*

**as ... as** tak ... jako *He likes me as much as I like him.*  
**not as (not so) ... as** ne tak ... jako *It was not so far as we expected.*  
**than** než, jako *John speaks French more fluently than Peter does.*

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