

1. Clause	a group of words that has a subject AND a predicate (verb)
2. Independent clause	a group of words that has a subject and a predicate - it can stand alone as a sentence
3. Dependent clause	a group of words that has a subject and a predicate (verb), but CAN NOT stand alone as a sentence
4. Adverb clause	a dependent clause that contains a SUBORDINATING CONJUNCTION and answers the questions: how? when? why?
5. Adjective clause	a dependent clause that begins with a relative pronoun (who, whom, whose, that, which, when, where or why) and answers the questions: what kind? how many? how much?
6. Coordinating conjunctions	connect words, phrases and CLAUSES the coordinating conjunctions are: for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so
7. Subordinating conjunctions	provide transitions between words in a sentence the subordinating conjunctions are: after although, as, as soon as, because, before, by the time, even if, even though, every time, if, in case, in the event that, just in case, now that, once, only if, since, though, unless, until, when, whenever, whereas, whether or not, while