

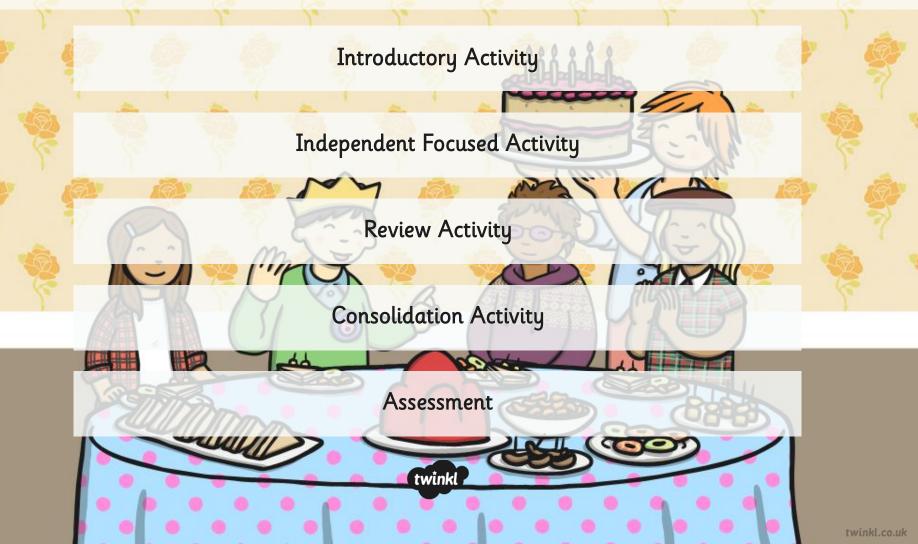
# **Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar** Joining Words and Clauses Using **and**

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# Aim

• I can use **and** to join ideas in my writing.

# Success Criteria

- I can join words and parts of a sentence using **and**.
- I can join two sentences using **and**.
- I can use **and** to write a longer sentence of my own.



# Introductory Activity

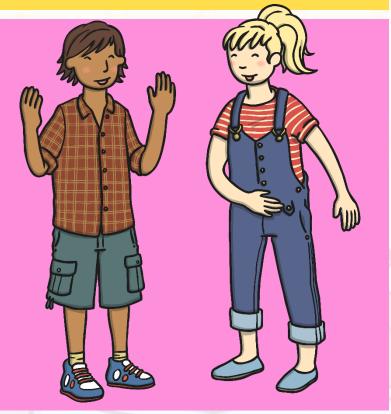
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#### A Useful Little Word



When we speak and write we use words to join together our language.



What useful little word do you think we could use to join together the words in the answers to these questions?

Who is coming to the party? James. Mia.

What are we going to eat? Jelly. Ice cream.

What games will we play? Pass the parcel. Musical statues.

#### and



We can use **and** to join together the words.



Who is coming to the party? James and Mia.

What are we going to eat? Jelly and ice cream.

What games will we play? Pass the parcel and musical statues.

Use **and** to answer this question: **What would you like for your birthday?** 

and

We can also use **and** to join two sentences or parts of sentences together.

Joining Sentences

Ali danced. He had fun. Ali danced **and** he had fun.

The next word doesn't need to start with a capital letter.



#### Joining Sentences



Can you use **and** to join together these sentences?

Becky sat at the table. She ate the party food. Becky sat at the table and she ate the party food. Granny brought some cupcakes. Everyone loved them. Granny brought some cupcakes and everyone loved them. The children sat in a circle. They played pass the parcel. The children sat in a circle and they played pass the parcel.

Remember the next word after and doesn't need to start with a capital letter. Did you remember that the next word after **and** doesn't need to start with a capital letter?



#### Remember:

We can use **and** to join words like this: Fun **and** games.

We can use **and** to join sentences or parts of sentences and make one longer sentence.

Fred ate too much jelly. He was sick on the carpet. Fred ate too much jelly **and** he was sick on the carpet.

Listen to your teacher read some sentences. Where could you use **and** to join these two sentences?



#### Joining Using <u>and</u>

#### Alice loved Theo's party. She didn't want it to end.

# Alice loved Theo's party **and** she didn't want it to end.





Tara is going to the zoo for her birthday. Zoe is going with her. Tara is going to the zoo for her birthday **and** Zoe is going with her.



#### Joining Using <u>and</u>



My mum's birthday is in April. My dad's birthday is in September.





My mum's birthday is in April **and** my dad's birthday is in September.



I will be seven on my next birthday. My brother will be eight.

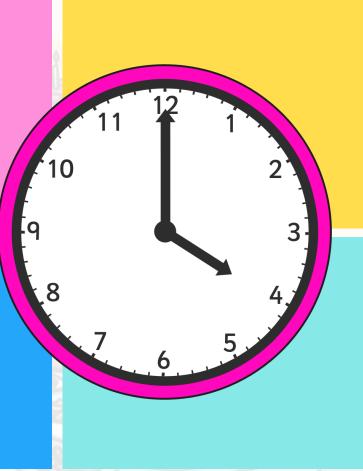
I will be seven on my next birthday **and** my brother will be eight.





The party will end at four o'clock. We will all go home to rest.

The party will end at four o'clock **and** we will all go home to rest.



#### Steph loves jelly. Brad loves ice-cream.



#### Steph loves jelly **and** Brad loves ice-cream.