**Correlative Conjunctions** work in pairs and need equal structures after each conjunction. See the examples below.

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| **both ... and** | ***He is both intelligent and good-natured.*** |
| **either ... or** | *I will****either****go for a walk****or****read a book.* |
| **neither ... nor** | *He is****neither****rich****nor****famous.* |
| **hardly ... when** | *He had****hardly****begun to work,****when****he was interrupted* |
| **if ... then** | ***If****that is true,****then****what happened is not surprising* |
| **no sooner ... than** | ***No******sooner****had I reached the corner,****than****the bus came.* |
| **not only ... but also** | *She is****not only****clever,****but also****hard-working.* |
| **rather ... than** | *I would****rather****go swimming****than****go to the library.* |
| **scarcely ... when** | ***Scarcely****had we left home,****when****it started to rain.* |
| **what with ... and** | ***What with****all her aunts, uncles****and****cousins, she has many relatives.* |
| **whether ... or** | *Have you decided****whether****you will come****or****not?* |

<https://www.gingersoftware.com/content/grammar-rules/conjunctions/correlative-conjunctions/>

**B-Rewrite the sentences using the paired conjunctions given in brackets.**

Make any necessary changes. Do not use any punctuation marks!

Example: Tom doesn’t lie to his friends. Paul doesn’t either. (neither…nor)

Neither Tom nor Paul lies to his friends.

1. Fred likes helping his friends. So does Linda. (both…and)

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1. Harry used to date Ann. Or was it Helen? (either…or)

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1. We should learn to accept our weaknesses and our strengths. (not only…but also)

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1. He never listens to or advises his friends when they have a problem. (neither…nor)

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1. I’ve betrayed your trust. I’ve betrayed your love for me. (not only…but also)

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1. He felt disappointed. He felt misunderstood. (both…and)

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1. Brian isn’t very considerate. Neither is Tom. (neither…nor)

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1. A true friend is someone who is caring and loving. (both…and)

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1. Rachel should apologize or leave. (either…or)

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1. Richard and John didn’t keep her secret. (neither…nor)

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**C- Fill in the blanks with the most meaningful paired conjunctions *‘both… and; not only…but also; either… or; neither… nor’*.**

* Who wrote you this love letter? – I’m not sure. I think it was \_\_\_\_\_ Michael \_\_\_\_\_ Paul.
* \_\_\_\_\_ Linda \_\_\_\_\_ Helen called to say sorry. I’m very sad and frustrated.
* \_\_\_\_\_ Ryan \_\_\_\_\_ Susie have disappointed me. They didn’t come to my birthday party.
* Paul has been neglecting us. He \_\_\_\_\_ calls \_\_\_\_\_ hangs out with us anymore.
* He hurt  \_\_\_\_\_ her feelings \_\_\_\_\_ her dignity. This is unforgivable.
* \_\_\_\_\_ loyalty \_\_\_\_\_ honesty are essential in a friendship.
* You should \_\_\_\_\_ disrespect \_\_\_\_\_ deceive your friends.
* I will take you \_\_\_\_\_ to the cinema \_\_\_\_\_ to the theatre. That’s a promise.