



Unit 2 Lesson 2 - The first day was overwhelming.



Circle the adverb and identify its type.

	1. She deeply loves her children.
~	2. They have an extremely expensive car.
X	3. I will go abroad after I finish my studies.
~	4. There's a mouse inside the washing machine.
	5. The citizens quickly responded to the pandemic



Introduce today's sentences.

Grammar Focus

Conjunctive Adverbs



Key Expressions

- The first day was overwhelming; however, it was enjoyable.
- My colleagues were welcoming; therefore, it was a relief.

Word Focus



Listen to the teacher and repeat.



immersed



overwhelming



welcoming



relief



tough





Listen to the audio and repeat.



Bo: Hello, Aya. I phoned you yesterday, but you didn't answer.

Aya: Sorry, I wasn't able to answer your call.

Jerrica and I were talking when you called.

Bo: No worries. We haven't talked for a long time, so I wanted to call you.

Aya: Yeah. You seemed very immersed in your job. How was your first day at work?

Bo: The first day was overwhelming; however, it was enjoyable. My colleagues were also welcoming; therefore, it was a relief.

Aya: It's always tough at the start. I felt the same on my first day.

Bo: I guess it wasn't so bad. I'm actually liking it so far.

Aya: That's great, Bo!





Learn the grammar structures.



Conjunctive Adverbs

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We can combine two or more related sentences together using conjunctive adverbs.

A complete sentence is also called an Independent Clause.

My colleagues were welcoming. + It was a relief.

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My colleagues were welcoming; therefore, it was a relief.

The first day was overwhelming. + It was enjoyable.

The first day was overwhelming; however, it was enjoyable.

 We use a semi-colon (;) before a conjunctive adverb and a comma (,) after.

More Conjunctive Adverbs

likewise meanwhile furthermore finally





Learn the specific use of the following conjunctive adverbs.



Conjunctive Adverbs

CONJUNCTIVE	USE	EXAMPLE
Likewise	comparison	They returned home; likewise, we went home.
However	contrast	My daughter wanted to play; however, I wanted to sleep.
Therefore	cause and effect	She was determined to be on top; therefore, she began to work hard.
Meanwhile	while	Sharon did the laundry; meanwhile, her husband cooked food.
Furthermore	addition	You are grounded for a week; furthermore, you can't use your phone.
Finally	summary	They argued for a few hours; finally, they settled the problem.

Activity



Draw a line to match the independent clauses to form one sentence.

1. I want some cereal; however,

2. She practiced the piano; **meanwhile**,

Your dog went into our house; furthermore,

4. The seafood was delicious; likewise,

The students are always so quiet; finally,

6. We finished our homework; therefore,

we can play outside now.

the dessert was good.

the box is empty.

it made a mess in the kitchen.

they are speaking up.

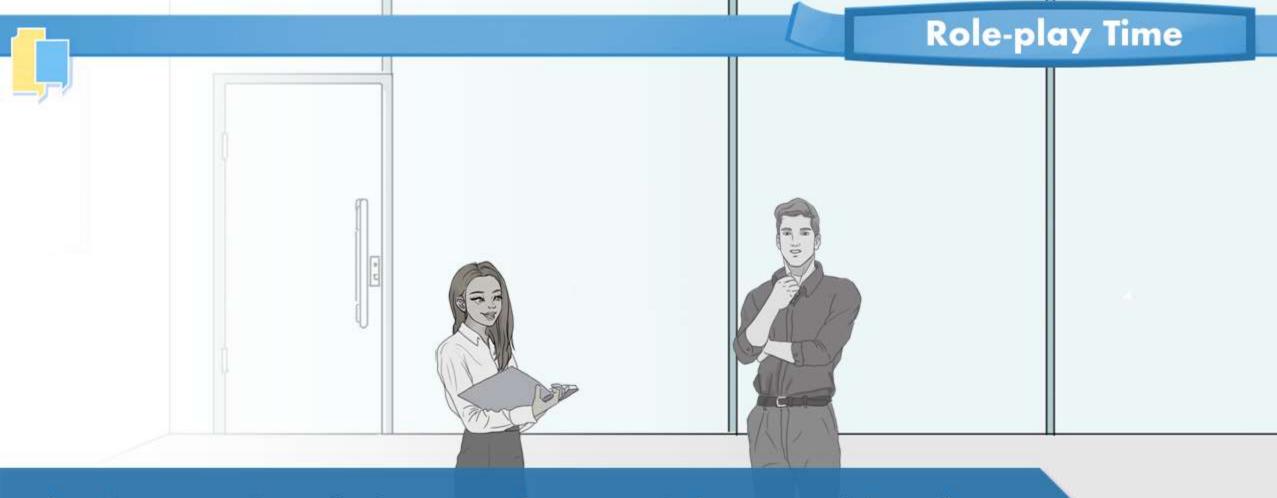
her brother played the drums.

Review



Underline the correct answer.

- 1. He was scared; **meanwhile** / **however**, he acted bravely.
- 2. She lost her purse; therefore / however, she is sad.
- 3. I wanted to take a rest; **meanwhile** / **likewise**, you wanted to go out.
- 4. Exercise is enjoyable; finally / furthermore, it improves your health.
- The camera had stopped working; likewise / therefore, there were no people in the closed store when it was robbed.
- 6. I have been waiting for that package; **finally** / **furthermore**, it has arrived.



Situation: You and your leader are arguing over a design proposal for a client. Explain your point of view about it. Use the grammar you learned today. (Conjunctive Adverbs)





Summary





Word Focus

immersed relief welcoming tough

overwhelming

Grammar Focus

Conjunctive Adverbs