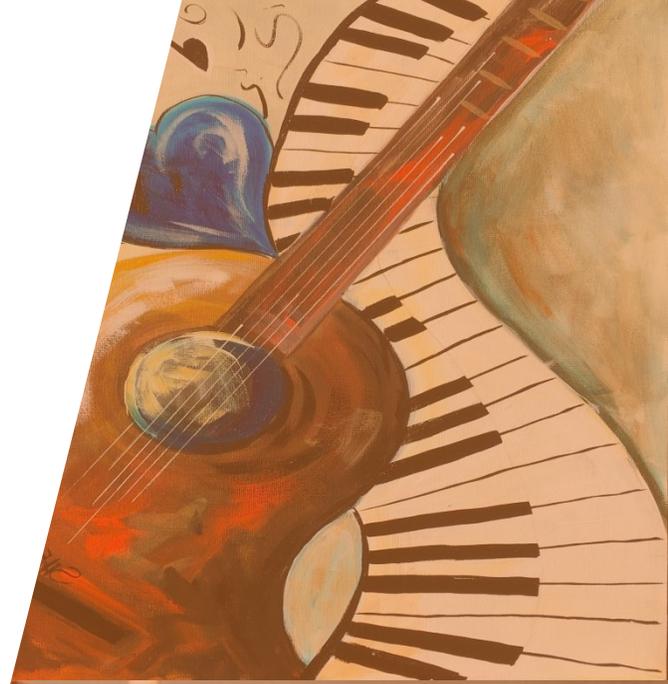


# SMART JUNIORS 2

Cultural Expressions  
Through Art Forms

Lesson 42

Grammar Station (2)



# GRAMMAR LEAD-IN

- Adam is wondering how it feels like to be an artist. Tell him what you think.



What do you think about artists? Why do you think so?

What do we need to do to in order to be an artist?



## Linking Words

**Linking words** are used to connect ideas together. They have different uses.

because

as

since

so

therefore

to

in order to

**1** Knights wore armor. It protected them in battles.

→ Knights wore armor **because** it protected them in battles.

**2** Leo practiced every day. He won the first prize.

→ Leo practiced every day **so** he won the first prize.

 **Have a try!**

**Underline the linking word in each sentence.**

1. In order to learn history, we study old paintings and sculptures.
2. People in the Middle Ages lived in villages so they worked together.
3. Painters used bright colors to make their paintings more exciting.
4. Soldiers carried shields into battle because they had to defend themselves.

**Linking Words** Linking words have different uses.

**1** **Because, as, and since** are used to give a reason for something.

The paintings are precious **because/as/since** they are so old.

*linking word*                      *reason*

**2** **To and in order to** are used to explain why we do something.

**!** **To** is always followed by the **infinitive**.

We study **(in order) to** learn new things.

*linking word*      *infinitive*      *purpose*

 **Have a try!**

**Underline the correct linking word.**

1. Scribes wrote by hand **(so, in order to)** make a book in the Middle Ages.
2. **(Since, So)** there was no electricity, castles had torches for light.
3. I eat vegetables **(because, in order to)** they help me grow strong and healthy.
4. This necklace is special **(as, to)** it is from my grandmother.

**Linking Words** Linking words have different uses.

**3** **So** and **therefore** are used to give the result of something.



I finished my homework **so** I can now play.

*linking word*      *result*

! **So** is usually in the middle of a sentence.

I finished my homework. **Therefore,** I can now play.

*linking word*      *result*

! **Therefore** is at the beginning of a new sentence.

 **Have a try!** Combine the sentences using **so** or **therefore**.

1. People believed in magic. They created magical stories. (so) .....

2. Artists were skilled. Their work was admired by many. (so) .....

3. I cleaned my room. I can go to the park to play. (therefore) .....

4. The sun is shining brightly. We can go outside. (therefore) .....

# PRACTICE TIME

- Tell whether the sentence is correct or incorrect. If it is incorrect, give the correct answer.

incorrect 1. Writings were copied carefully <sup>so</sup> therefore they wouldn't fade.

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. Museums carefully preserve artworks as ensure they last.

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. To create a masterpiece, an artist needs creativity and imagination.

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. I visit museums because they have cool arts from a long time ago.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. So there were no cameras, artists painted scenes.

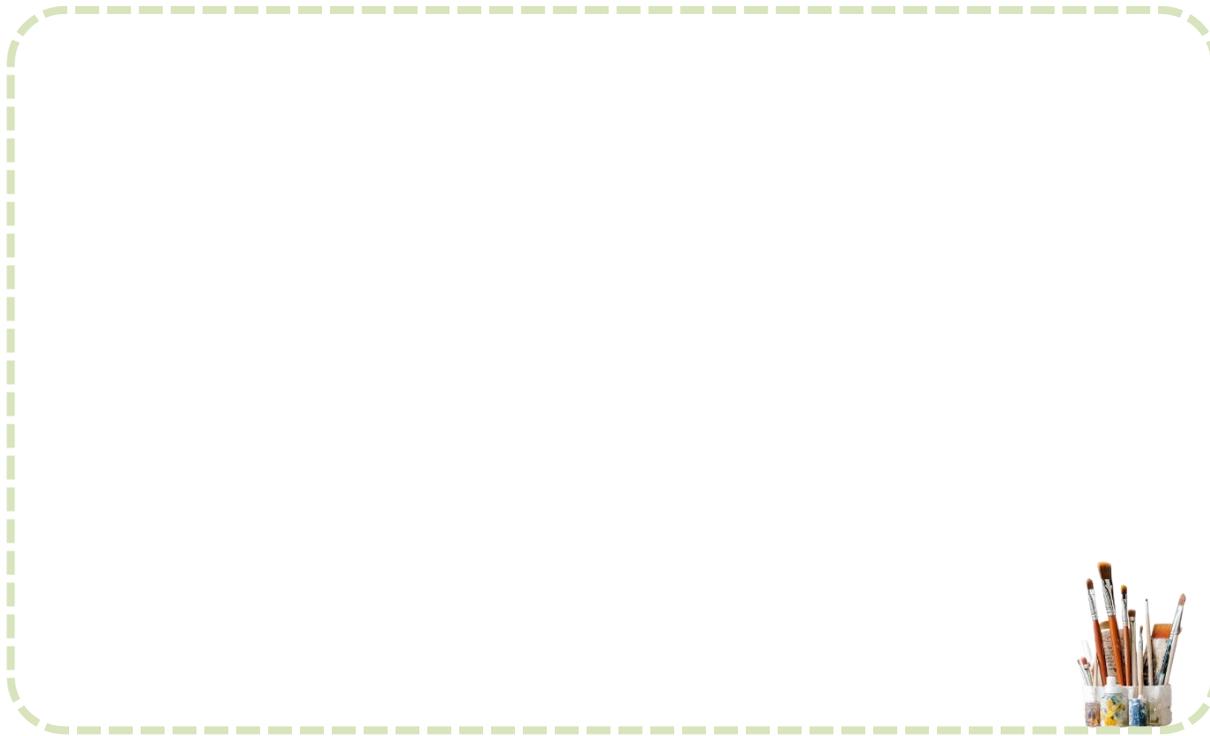
\_\_\_\_\_ 6. Ana needs to wear a jacket in order to it is called outside.



# PRACTICE TIME

■ **Draw your own castle. The castle should have/be:**

- high walls    surrounded by water    safe



■ **Complete the sentences based on your castle.**

I chose this castle **because** it is \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

The high walls are built to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

It is surrounded by water in order to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Therefore, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## Because vs Because Of

⚠ Use **because** when the reason is a sentence and **because of** when the reason is a noun (phrase).

The museum is closed **because** the weather is bad.

▲  
*sentence*

The museum is closed **because of** bad weather.

▲  
*noun phrase*



 **Have a try!** Complete the sentences using **because** or **because of**.

1. Scribes wrote by hand \_\_\_\_\_ they wanted to create books.
2. We can't go to school today \_\_\_\_\_ a power cut.
3. We admire castles \_\_\_\_\_ their designs and rich history.
4. Sculptors carved statues \_\_\_\_\_ they wanted to honor important people.



- Choose the correct linking words to complete the passage.

Art in the Middle Ages was incredible (because, because of) artists got inspired by historical concepts, such as those of the knights and castles. (Since, Therefore) they didn't have modern tools, they used their imaginations a lot. (Because, Therefore), they made unforgettable paintings and buildings. (Since, In order to) tell stories and show how life was, artists used special details. So, when we look at these old artworks now, we learn a lot about how people lived in the past (because, because of) the pictures they made.





## Linking Words

**1** **Because, as, and since** are used to give a **reason** for something.

ex. We wear coats **because/ as/ since** it is cold outside.

**2** **To and in order to** are used to explain **why we do something**.

ex. John practice singing **(in order) to** become a better singer.

**3** **So and therefore** are used to give the **result** of something.

ex. The sun is shining **so** we can go outside.

The sun is shining. **Therefore,** we can go outside.



# WHAT'S NEXT...

In the next lesson, we're going to  
start a new unit. See you next time!