Four Types of Sentences

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|  | Definition | | Formula | |
| Simple  Sentence | **Independent Clause** – *groups of words that make a complete statement and has a subject (noun) and a verb (predicate).* | | S V  SS V  S VV  SS VV | | Four Kinds of Sentences**:**   * **Declarative** Sentences make a statement. * **Exclamatory** Sentences are excited declarative sentences and end with an exclamation * **Interrogative** Sentences ask a question. * **Imperative** Sentences make commands or requests. | |
| Ms. Bishop enjoys teaching.  I like winters with lots of snow. | | | | | | |
|  | Definition | Formula | | | Coordinating Conjunctions | Punctuation |
| Compound Sentence | **Independent Clauses**  **Coordinating Conjunction** | I, c I  I; I  (sometimes conjunctive adverbs are used) | | | FANBOYS  For But  And Or  Nor Yet  So | Comma  Semicolon\* |
| The writing teacher did not like the indefinite you, and the students avoided using it.  I tried speaking French, but my skills were too poor to be understood. | | | | | | |
|  | Definition | Formula | | Subordinating Conjunctions | | Punctuation |
| Complex Sentence | **Independent Clause**  **Dependent Clause** – *a group of words with a subject and a verb that cannot stand alone*  **Subordinating Conjunction** | D, I  I D | | After, Although, As, As if, As long as, As soon as, As though, Because, Before, Even if, Even though, If, In order that, Just as, Once, Provided, Rather than, Since, So that, Than, Though, Unless, Until, When Whenever, While | | Comma  No Comma |
| Although the kayaker loved to paddle, it was rare to see her out on a windy day.  Traveling across the bay on a kayak is great fun as long as it’s not too windy. | | | | | | |
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| Compound- Complex Sentence | **Independent Clause**  **Dependent Clause**  **Coordinating Conjunction**  **Subordinating Conjunction** | D, I, c I  I D, c I  I, c I D  D, I; I  I D; I  I; I D | | | Coordinating Conjunction  Subordinating Conjunction | Comma  No comma  Semicolon |
| Although Ms. Bishop ran as fast as she could, she did not make it on time to the boat, so she missed her ride.  Suzanne forgot her friend’s birthday, so she sent her a card when she finally remembered. | | | | | | |