

# Improving Sentences: A Long and Lonely Road

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the road and its surroundings.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

The \_\_\_\_\_ road ran through the \_\_\_\_\_ desert.

Next, use a fronted adverbial to give extra detail about the road:

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ road ran through the \_\_\_\_\_ desert.

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

after	although	as	because	before
if	since	until	when	while

Complete your sentence by adding one of the words above (a subordinating conjunction) to give extra information about the road.

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ road ran through the \_\_\_\_\_ desert.

# Improving Sentences: A Long and Lonely Road – Example Answers

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the road and its surroundings.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

*The long, straight road ran through the barren desert.*

Next, use a fronted adverbial to give extra detail about the road:

*As it had since the beginning, the long, straight road ran through the dusty, barren desert.*

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

<i>after</i>	<i>although</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>because</i>	<i>before</i>
<i>if</i>	<i>since</i>	<i>until</i>	<i>when</i>	<i>while</i>

Complete your sentence by adding one of the words above (a subordinating conjunction) to give extra information about the road.

*As it had since the beginning, the long, straight road ran through the dusty, barren desert until it came to a small town.*

# Improving Sentences: The Bustling Market

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the market and its surroundings.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

The \_\_\_\_\_ stalls were filled with \_\_\_\_\_ items.

Next, use a fronted adverbial to give extra detail about the market:

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ stalls were filled with \_\_\_\_\_ items.

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

<i>after</i>	<i>although</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>because</i>	<i>before</i>
<i>if</i>	<i>since</i>	<i>until</i>	<i>when</i>	<i>while</i>

Complete your sentence by adding a subordinate clause beginning with a subordinating conjunction, which gives extra information about the market.

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ stalls were filled with \_\_\_\_\_ items.

# Improving Sentences: The Bustling Market – Example Answers

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the market and its surroundings.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded noun sentences:

*The busy, colourful stalls were filled with deliciously tempting items.*

Next, use a fronted adverbial to give extra detail about the market:

*Before opening, the busy, colourful stalls were filled with deliciously tempting items.*

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

<i>after</i>	<i>although</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>because</i>	<i>before</i>
<i>if</i>	<i>since</i>	<i>until</i>	<i>when</i>	<i>while</i>

Complete your sentence by adding one of the words above (a subordinating conjunction) to give extra information about the market.

*Before opening, the busy, colourful stalls were filled with deliciously tempting items as curious customers arrived for their weekly shop.*

# Improving Sentences: The Haunted House

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the haunted house and the woods it is in.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

The \_\_\_\_\_ house stood in the \_\_\_\_\_ woods.

Next, use a fronted adverbial to describe **how** the house stands in the woods:

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ house stood in the \_\_\_\_\_ woods.

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

Complete your sentence by adding one of the words above (a subordinating conjunction) to give extra information about the house.

after	although	as	because	before
if	since	until	when	while

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ house stood in the \_\_\_\_\_ woods.

# Improving Sentences: The Haunted House – Example Answers

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the haunted house and the woods it is in.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

*The ancient, moss-covered house stood in the middle of the dark, echoing woods.*

Next, use a fronted adverbial to describe how the house stands in the woods:

*Eerily, the ancient, moss-covered house stood in the middle of the dark, echoing woods.*

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

<i>after</i>	<i>although</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>because</i>	<i>before</i>
<i>if</i>	<i>since</i>	<i>until</i>	<i>when</i>	<i>while</i>

Complete your sentence by adding one of the words above (a subordinating conjunction) to give extra information about the house.

*Eerily, the ancient, moss-covered house stood in the middle of the dark, echoing woods as the wind pounded violently against its withering walls.*

# Improving Sentences: The Palace Garden

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the garden and its contents.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

The \_\_\_\_\_ garden had lots of \_\_\_\_\_ plants.

Next, use a fronted adverbial to give information about **where** the garden is:

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ garden held lots of \_\_\_\_\_ plants.

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

after	although	as	because	before
if	since	until	when	while

Complete your sentence by adding a subordinating conjunction, which gives extra information about the garden.

\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ garden held lots of \_\_\_\_\_ plants.

# Improving Sentences: The Palace Garden – Example Answers

Use this box to generate adjectives to describe the garden and its contents.



Use your amazing adjectives to create expanded sentences:

*The magnificently landscaped garden had lots of interesting and exotic plants.*

Next, use a fronted adverbial to give information about **where** the garden is:

*At the front of the palace, the magnificently landscaped garden had lots of interesting and exotic plants.*

Finally, choose one of the following subordinating conjunctions:

<i>after</i>	<i>although</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>because</i>	<i>before</i>
<i>if</i>	<i>since</i>	<i>until</i>	<i>when</i>	<i>while</i>

Complete your sentence by adding a subordinating conjunction, which gives extra information about the garden.

*At the front of the palace, the magnificently landscaped garden had lots of interesting and exotic plants because the owner of the house had a love of exquisite and unusual flowers.*