Basic Conjunction Exercises

Part A: Fill in the Blank (Choose the correct conjunction)

Choose from: because, as, since, so, but, even though, although, when	
1.	I didn't go to school yesterday I had a fever.
2.	She studied very hard, she still failed the test.
3.	He stayed behind after class he wanted to ask the teacher a question.
4.	it started to rain, we cancelled the football match.
5.	I enjoy playing video games, my parents don't really like them.
6.	she was tired, she continued working on her project.
7.	I got a high score in the test I revised every day.
8.	I opened the door, the cat ran out quickly.
9.	He didn't come to the party he was sick.
10.	. She missed the bus, she had to walk to school.
Part B: Sentence Combination Combine the two sentences using a suitable conjunction.	
11.	It was raining. We went hiking anyway.

12. I didn't eat breakfast. I was in a rush.	
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13. He is very smart. He doesn't show off.	
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14. I was walking home. I saw my English teacher.	
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15. I enjoy watching football. I'm not good at playing it.	
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Answer Key (Suggested)

Part A

- 1. because
- 2. but
- 3. because / since / as
- 4. Since / As / When
- 5. but
- 6. Although / Even though
- 7. because / as / since
- 8. When
- 9. because
- 10. so

Part B

- 11. Even though it was raining, we went hiking.
- 12. I didn't eat breakfast **because** I was in a rush.
- 13. Although he is very smart, he doesn't show off.
- 14. I saw my English teacher when I was walking home.
- 15. I enjoy watching football, but I'm not good at playing it.