

Lesson 19: The Great Dying

Because / But / So

Complete each sentence using the connector word shown.

The Great Dying wiped out 96 percent of all marine species **because**

The Great Dying wiped out 96 percent of all marine species, **but**

The Great Dying wiped out 96 percent of all marine species, **so**

Subordinating Conjunctions

Complete each sentence using the conjunction shown.

The Siberian Traps volcanoes erupted for hundreds of thousands of years **because**

_____.

Although _____, a few survivors remained and eventually rebuilt the living world.

Since _____, an entirely new group of animals was able to rise and take their place.