

Lesson 4: Gravity

Because / But / So

Complete each sentence using the connector word shown.

Gravity holds Earth's atmosphere in place **because**

Gravity holds Earth's atmosphere in place, **but**

Gravity holds Earth's atmosphere in place, **so**

Subordinating Conjunctions

Complete each sentence using the conjunction shown.

- **If** _____, there would be no Earth, no ocean, and no life.
- The Sun has far more mass than Earth **because** _____.
- **Although** _____, it is the most important force in the universe.

Think and Write

Give two specific examples from the reading of how gravity makes life on Earth possible. Explain each one fully.