Conjunction and Interjection Notes

**Conjunction** – connects __________________ or _____________________________.

_____________________________ – connect similar words or groups of words.

Ex: The cat **and** dog both are mine.
I want popcorn, **but** I don’t want butter.
Can you hand me the pen **or** pencil?

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_____________________________ – are pairs of words that connect similar kinds of words or groups of words.

Ex: **Both** Batman **and** Superman are heroes.
**Either** Wolverine **or** Colossus is my favorite X-Men.

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*When trying to figure out what is being connected with a conjunction remember that it has to be the same on both sides.
Ex: **Billy and Tommy** went down to the pond. (both nouns)
I ran **over the mountains and through the trees**. (both prepositional phrases)

*There cannot be a break from the types of words that are connected with the conjunction.
Ex: If I want to see what is connected both parts must be touching the conjunction.
**Billy ran and Tommy jumped.** (This conjunction is NOT connecting the verbs.)
**Billy ran and Tommy Jumped.** (This conjunction is NOT connecting the nouns.)
What is being connected?
____________________________ – is an exclamation that expresses feeling or emotion.

Ex: **Whoa!** That cat is huge!
**Man,** that was too close.
**Great Gatsby!** Are you serious?!

*Interjections are always set off from the rest of the sentence by an

____________________________ when the emotion is strong, or by

____________________________ when the emotion isn’t as strong.