**A compound sentence is made by putting together two or more simple sentences containing related information.**

* The parts are usually joined by a conjunction such as **and, or, or but.\***
* A comma is placed before the conjunction.

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| **Simple Sentences:**Mary ate a sandwich for lunch.She left her carrot juice.**Simple sentences:** The snow blew wildly. We could not see the road. | **Compound Sentence:**Mary ate a sandwich for lunch, **but** she left her carrot juice.**Compound sentence:**The snow blew wildly, **and** we could not see the road. |

**Compound Sentences**