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- To make our sentences even more interesting we can use conjunctions to link ideas together: if we can use: but, or, yet and so.
- Each conjunction has a different meaning in a sentence. Look below for some examples.
- But tells us something got in the way:

We wanted to put out the fire **but** ... the wind prevented us.

• Or compares options.

It is hard to tell if the fire was left on.... OR .... the embers relit.

• So tells us what we did next.

The wind was strong and blew the fire onto the near by buildings SO.. our only option was to pull them down.

• Yet is like but something stopped this from happening.

People tried tirelessly to put out the fire ...YET... the buckets were too small and the fire too big.

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<u>What happened:</u> Can you add a but, or, yet, so to these sentences?

In Pudding lane a baker had been cooking that day \_\_\_\_\_ he had forgotten to check his fire was out.

The fire started on 2<sup>nd</sup> September \_\_\_\_\_ lasted for many days.

The bread caught fire \_\_\_\_\_ then quickly the whole shop went up in flames.

The summer had been really hot \_\_\_\_\_ the wooden houses caught fire easily.

The houses were covered in pitch to protect them \_\_\_\_\_ this made them very flammable.

Can you create some of your own sentences using but, or, yet and so.