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## SABER CONCEPTUAL

Simple past

Conjunctions

Feelings.

Past continuous tense in affirmative and negative sentences.

## 1. Biographies (past tense).

Definition. A biography is a usually written history of a person's life.

In a library, the word *biography* refers both to a kind of book and to a section where books of that kind are found. Each biography tells the story of a real person's life. A biography may be about someone who lived long ago, recently, or even someone who is still living, though in the last case it must necessarily be incomplete. The term <u>autobiography</u> refers to a biography written by the person it's about. Autobiographies are of course also necessarily incomplete.

Match the pictures to the description given below.

Michael Jackson	Monarch/ Head of State		I was born in July 1965 and grew up in Wales. I taught English to foreign students for a while and started to experiment with story ideas. My first book was published in 1997 by Bloomsbury and soon, my
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		life changed forever. I have now written 7 books in the Harry Potter series and a few other books also. I live in Edinburgh with my husband and 3 children.
J K Rowling	Head of Catholic Church	I was born on 27 <sup>th</sup> May 1975 and grew up in Essex. I first fell in love with food when I was very young as my parents ran, and still do, a pub/restaurant. I trained in London and became famous after my first TV series. I know have restaurants all over the country and teach others how to cook like me.
Usain Bolt	Prime Minister/ Politician	I was born on 9 <sup>th</sup> October 1966 into a privileged family. I went to Eton College and then Oxford University. I married





		Samantha in 1996 and we have had four children. I am most famous for being the leader of the Conservative Party.
HRH Elizabeth II	Singer/Songwriter	I was born in 1982 in Northampton. I wanted to be a professional footballer when I was younger, but an injury forced me to banish those ambitions. I studied Drama at the University of East Anglia and became an actor in 2003, performing in many plays and minor television roles. My big break came in 2010 when I won the role of perhaps the most famous Dr ever – Dr Who!





Jamie Oliver	Actor	I was born in Jamaica in 1996 and spent most of my childhood playing cricket and football. Later on, I got into running and haven't looked back since. My nick name is 'Lightening Bolt', because I am so fast I suppose. I enjoy taking part in world class athletics events such as the Olympic Games and smashing world records!
David Cameron	Author	I was born August 29, 1958, in Indiana, USA to an African- American working-class family. My father had been a guitarist and had great belief in me and my sibling's musical talents. With his support, my brothers, sisters and I first became a performing





		anoun in the
		group in the
Matt Smith	Television Chef	early 1960s. I was born as Joseph Ratzinger in Germany, April 1927. As a teenager in Germany during World War II I became a member of 'Hitler Youth'. After studying theology, I was ordained as priest in 1951 and rose through the ranks of priesthood. My most proudest moments was in 2005 when I became Pope, head of the Catholic church.
Pope Francisco	Olympic Athlete	I was born on 21 <sup>st</sup> April 1926, but actually celebrate 2 birthdays every year. I was born into aristocracy and my father was King George VI. I have many palatial homes across the country and now spend most of my time in





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	Windsor. I
	have 4
	children, have
	had dozens of
	dogs and
	hundreds of
	crowns!

Write a biography: John Lennon.

Year of Birth: 1941 Country: England

Nationality: English

Profession: rock musician, singer, songwriter and peace activist

As a child, \_\_\_\_\_ (Live) with his aunt and uncle in Liverpool.

When he was 12 years old, \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) to play the harmonica.

John Lennon (1940-1980)

As a teenager,

\_\_\_\_\_ (Meet) Paul McCartney in 1955 and …

\_\_\_\_\_ (start) the *Beatles* in 1960.

When he was 18 years old, his mother \_\_\_\_\_ (die) in a car accident.

Later, \_\_\_\_\_ (write) some of the most popular music in rock and roll history

On March 20th 1969, \_\_\_\_\_ John (marry) Yoko Ono.

The following year,\_\_\_\_\_ John (leave) the Beatles

In 1975,

\_\_\_\_\_ (go) to New York and (have) a son called Sean.







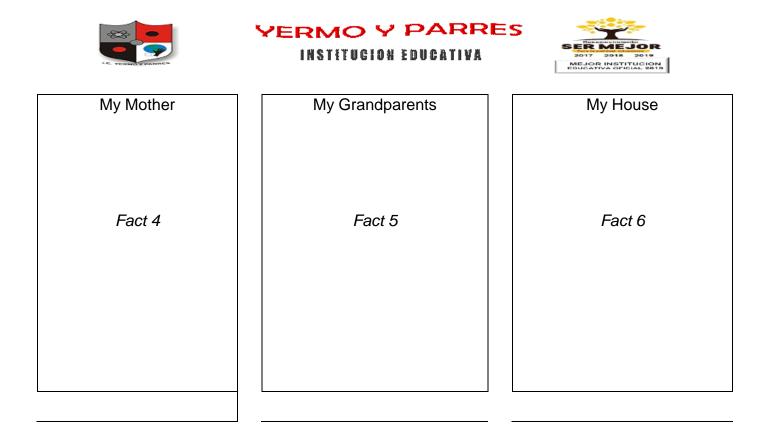
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## On December 8th 1980,

\_ John Lennon (be) assassinated outside his home in New York.

# Tips for writing an autobiography.

My School Life	My Family	My Father
Fact 1	Fact 2	Fact 3



# 2. Conjunctions.

Let's watch the following video before talking about the connectors.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w-m78EQXwjk

Most Common Spanish Connectors

## Y – and

This is used exactly like in English.

- Quiero una hamburguesa **y** una soda por favor. (I want a hamburger **and** a soda please.)
- Tú y yo vamos a ir al parque. (You and I are going to go to the park.)

## Pero – but

Again, also used exactly like in English.

• Estoy en el cine, **pero** hay muchas personas. (l'm in the movie theater **but** there are a lot of people.)



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• Voy a ir al supermercado, **pero** más tarde. (I'm going to go to the supermarket **but** later.)

## Porque – because

This works just like in English as well. **Porque** also generally is the first think you say when answering a question "¿Por que?" (why?).

- Ella está feliz porque hoy es viernes. (She is happy because today is friday.)
- Matías no quiere levantarse **porque** está cansado. (Matias doesn't want to get up **because** he's tired.)

## Entonces – so

This is used to express the consequence of a certain situation. Unlike in English, you would not say something is "so cool" (very cool). You would use "muy" (very) for that.

- Ella estaba triste **entonces** yo estaba hablando con ella. (She was sad **so** I was talking to her.)
- Adriana tenía mucho tiempo **entonces** caminó a trabajo. (Adriana had a lot of time **so** she walked to work.).

### Or – o.

Se utiliza cuando en una misma oración tenemos dos cláusulas, sin que una sea más importante que la otra, para expresar dos posibles opciones o alternativas.

### Let's practice.

https://agendaweb.org/exercises/grammar/conjunctions

https://www.englishexercises.org/makeagame/viewgame.asp?id=3937

https://www.myenglishpages.com/site\_php\_files/grammar-exercise-conjunctions-and-but-or.php







3. Feelings.

Through this video you will learn vocabulary about feelings and emotions. Please take notes while watching.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7uY2HrQ9qQ8&list=RD7uY2HrQ9qQ8&st
<u>art_radio=1</u>
Feelings and emotions activity.do
I've got a
brother
a sister.
It was very sunny last
Sunday,
we went to the beach.
Would you like
meat
vegetables for lunch?
My father likes
football
he doesn't like basketball.





We aren't going to the		
bank		
it is closed.		
We can go to the		
beach		
to the mountain. I don't really mind.		
Vigo is hotter than		
Santiago,		
Santiago is more beautiful.		
It is rainy		
today,		
take your		
umbrella		
your boots.		
I didn't buy the new		
shoes		
I didn't have any money.		