

AND = Y:

We stayed at home and we watched television.

Hemos quedado en casa y hemos mirado la tele.

BUT = PERO:

I bought a newspaper but I didn't read it.

Compré un periodico pero no lo he leído.

OR = O:

Do you want to play tennis or are you too tired?

Quiere jugar al tenir o esta muy casado?

SO = POR ESO – ASI QUE:

It was too hot so I opened the window.

Hacía tanta calor asi que hemos abierto la ventana.

The water wasn't clean so we didn't go swimming.

El agua no estaba limpia por eso no hemos ido a nadar.

BECAUSE = PORQUE:

I opened the window because it was too hot.

Hemos abierto las ventanas porque hacia demasiada calor

BECAUSE = COMO...:

Because the water wasn't clean, we didn't go swimming.

Como el agua no estaba limpia, no hemos ido a nadar.

WHEN = CUANDO:

When you're tired, don't drive – cuando estas cansado, no conduzcas.

Don't drive, when you're tired – no conduzcas, cuando estas cansado.

- Podemos utilizar la misma estructura para before, while, after...:

While I was waiting for the bus, it began to rain.

Mientras estaba esperando el bus, empezo a llover.

It began to rain, while I was waiting for the bus.

Empezó al llover mientras esperaba el bus.

IF = SI:

If you speak slowly, I can understand you.

Si hablas despacio, te puedo entender.

I can understand you, if you speak slowly.

Te puedo entender si hablas despacio.

- Detrás de IF – WHEN – WHILE – UNTIL – BEFORE – AFTER...se usa el presente con valor de futuro:

If you see Ann this evening, can you ask her to phone me?

Si ves a Ann esta noche, puedes preguntarle que me llame?