

Unit 2 Lesson 2 - The first day was overwhelming.



Circle the adverb and identify its type.

 She deeply loves her children.
 2. He rarely submits the output on time.
 3. They have an extremely expensive car.
 4. I will go abroad after I finish my studies.
5. There's a mouse inside the washing machine.
6. The citizens quickly responded to the pandemic



Introduce today's sentences.

Grammar Focus

Conjunctive Adverbs



Key Expressions

- The first day was overwhelming; however, it was enjoyable.
- My colleagues were welcoming; therefore, it was a relief.

Word Focus



Listen to the teacher and repeat.



immersed



overwhelming



welcoming



relief



tough





Listen to the audio and repeat.



Bo: Hello, Aya. I phoned you yesterday, but you didn't answer.

Aya: Sorry, I wasn't able to answer your call.

Jerrica and I were talking when you called.

Bo: No worries. We haven't talked for a long time, so I wanted to call you.

Aya: Yeah. You seemed very immersed in your job. How was your first day at work?

Bo: The first day was overwhelming; however, it was enjoyable. My colleagues were also welcoming; therefore, it was a relief.

Aya: It's always tough at the start. I felt the same on my first day.

Bo: I guess it wasn't so bad. I'm actually liking it so far.

Aya: That's great, Bo!



Learn the grammar structures.

Grammar



Conjunctive Adverbs

We can combine two or more related sentences together using conjunctive adverbs.

A complete sentence is also called an Independent Clause.

My colleagues were welcoming. + It was a relief.

C1

My colleagues were welcoming; therefore, it was a relief.

The first day was overwhelming. + It was enjoyable.

IC1

IC2

The first day was overwhelming; however, it was enjoyable.

 We use a semi-colon (;) before a conjunctive adverb and a comma (,) after.

More Conjunctive Adverbs

likewise meanwhile furthermore finally





Learn the specific use of the following conjunctive adverbs.



Conjunctive Adverbs

CONJUNCTIVE	USE	EXAMPLE
Likewise	comparison	They returned home; likewise, we went home.
However	contrast	My daughter wanted to play; however, I wanted to sleep.
Therefore	cause and effect	She was determined to be on top; therefore, she began to work hard.
Meanwhile	while	Sharon did the laundry; meanwhile, her husband cooked food.
Furthermore	addition	You are grounded for a week; furthermore, you can't use your phone.
Finally	summary	They argued for a few hours; finally, they settled the problem.

Activity



Draw a line to match the independent clauses to form one sentence.

1. I want some cereal; however,

2. She practiced the piano; **meanwhile**,

3. Your dog went into our house; furthermore,

4. The seafood was delicious; likewise,

5. The students are always so quiet; finally,

6. We finished our homework; **therefore**,

we can play outside now.

the dessert was good.

the box is empty.

it made a mess in the kitchen.

they are speaking up.

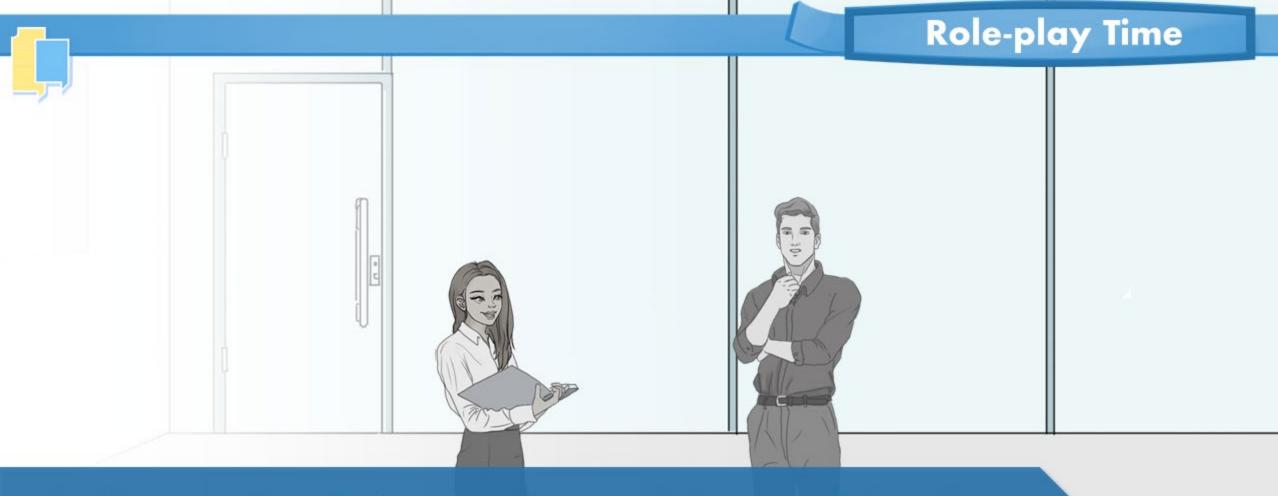
her brother played the drums.

Review



Underline the correct answer.

- 1. He was scared; **meanwhile** / **however**, he acted bravely.
- 2. She lost her purse; therefore / however, she is sad.
- 3. I wanted to take a rest; **meanwhile** / **likewise**, you wanted to go out.
- 4. Exercise is enjoyable; **finally** / **furthermore**, it improves your health.
- The camera had stopped working; likewise / therefore, there were no people in the closed store when it was robbed.
- I have been waiting for that package; finally / furthermore, it has arrived.



Situation: You and your leader are arguing over a design proposal for a client. Explain your point of view about it. Use the grammar you learned today. (Conjunctive Adverbs)





Summary





Word Focus

immersed relief welcoming tough

overwhelming

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Conjunctive Adverbs