

## Using 'and' and 'because'

Read the two passages carefully. Fill in the blanks with the correct conjunctions in the box.

and

because

### Passage 1

Martin always looks forward to the weekends (1) \_\_\_\_\_ he spends a whole day at his grandparents' house. Martin has many uncles, aunts (2) \_\_\_\_\_ cousins. His grandparents' house is large, so everyone can meet up with one another at the same time. Martin has plenty of fun playing with his cousins.

### Passage 2

The nanny goat told her kids to stay close to her (1) \_\_\_\_\_ there was a hungry wolf that liked to eat little goats. The kids did not listen to their mother (2) \_\_\_\_\_ went their separate ways. Soon, the wolf came. When it saw that the kids were far away from one another, it knew it was easy for it to attack and bring back food to its family.

Answers  
Passage 1  
1. because  
2. and  
Passage 2  
1. because  
2. and