Sentence Structure and Variety Practice

Name: _____ Date: _____

Instructions: Rewrite each simple sentence below using the sentence structure indicated. Use conjunctions (and, but, or, so, because, although, when, if, while) and add details to make your sentences more interesting.

1. The dog barked.

Rewrite as a compound sentence (two independent clauses joined by a conjunction):

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2. We went to the beach.

Rewrite as a complex sentence (add a dependent clause with 'because' or 'although'):

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3. The students finished their work.

Rewrite as a compound sentence:

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4. It started raining.

Rewrite as a complex sentence (add a dependent clause with 'when' or 'while'):

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5. My friend plays rugby.

Rewrite as a complex sentence (add a dependent clause with 'although' or 'because'):

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6. The concert was cancelled.

Rewrite as a compound sentence:

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Choose ONE of your sentences above and rewrite it again in a completely different way:

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