

25.6 I connettivi di modo

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25.1 was 2 as if 3 like 4 as if 5 like 6 as though

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26. 1 a 2 d 3 c 4 b 5 e 6 i 7 f 8 h

27. 1 as if 2 As 3 as 4 As 5 as 6 as if, like 7 like 8 as if

28. My Vocabulary in Progress – Language

1 as 2 as / in the way 3 like 4 as 5 as if / as though 6 as / in the way 7 as if / as though 8 Like

- speak = parlare
- absolute beginner = principiante assoluto
- repeat = ripetere
- sentence = frase pronounce = pronunciare
- translate = tradurre translator = traduttore
- translation = traduzione context = contesto
- word = parola dictionary = vocabolario
- exercise = esercizio meaning = significato
- interpreter = interprete
- fluently = fluentemente / scorrevolmente
- language = lingua / linguaggio
- letter = lettera
- chat = chattare
- grammar rules = regole di grammatica
- question = domanda teacher = insegnante
- ask = chiedere
- communicate = comunicare
- email = email
- text messages = sms

31.1 In inglese l'ordine è such + a / an + aggettivo+ sostantivo sing. numerabile + that:
It was such an icy lake that you could walk on it.

2 La prima frase è una consecutiva e posso usare il connettivo di conseguenza so + agg + that: My bed is so big that three people can sleep on it. La seconda frase è una finale e posso usare il connettivo di scopo so that + soggetto + will / can: Give me that pen so that I can / will write a message to Ted.

3 Usa feel + as if / as though + simple past con valore di congiuntivo: I feel as if / as though I had a temperature.

25.7 I connettivi di contrasto/concessione

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31. My Vocabulary in Progress – Entertainment and Media

1 but **2** However, Even so **3** Despite **4** On the one hand, on the other hand **5** And yet **6** Even though, On the contrary

film = film
 flop = insuccesso
 musical = musical
 soundtrack = colonna sonora
 songs = canzoni singers = cantanti cast = cast
 soloist = cantante solista novel = romanzo chapter = capitolo
 paperback = edizione tascabile (economica)
 hit = successo
 love story = storia d'amore
 comedy = commedia
 take place = avere luogo setting = ambiente, scenario fairy tale = favola
 storyline = trama
 cartoon = cartone animato special effects = effetti speciali dub = doppiare
 book = libro
 script = sceneggiatura deal = trattare, parlare di characters = personaggi dialogues = dialoghi captions = sottotitoli

32. Free answers

33 **1** In spite of drinking two liters of water every day, Diana is always thirsty. **2** Laura doesn't like mowing the lawn. She has to do it every Sunday, though. **3** Despite the fact that I had a bad cold, I went to my cousin's birthday dinner. **4** Joe wasn't very good at drawing. Nevertheless, he wanted to become an architect. **5** Despite the awful food, the party was quite fun. **6** Although the test is difficult, you should try it! **7** I wanted to watch a love film, but my husband wanted to watch a football match. **8** Even though I read the instructions carefully, I couldn't assemble all the pieces of the kite!

35 **1** Despite / In spite of **2** Whereas **3** In spite of / Despite **4** though **5** Even if **6** but **7** After all **8** Even though

25.8 I connettivi di condizione/dubbio

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36 **1** Whether **2** whether **3** if / whether **4** if / whether
5 Whether **6** If **7** whether **8** if

37 **1** g **2** a **3** b **4** c **5** e **6** f

38 Free answers

39 **1** They aren't fond of classical music. Therefore, I think if you invite them to the concert, they won't come. **2** Despite the fact that Fabio is a dear friend, I don't know whether to lend him my car. He doesn't drive very well... **3** Even though I have washed the shirt three times, the spot is still visible! **4** I wonder if / whether you have understood what you have done or if you still think that you haven't done anything serious. **5** Jason didn't know whether to fill in the form for a scholarship abroad this

year or do it next year. **6** A Can I watch this programme on TV tonight? B OK, you can watch it, as long as / provided (that) / providing (that) you go to bed immediately after it! **7** A Supposing (that) you had to move to another country, where would you go? B If I had to move abroad, I would go to Switzerland. I love mountains and chocolate! **8** A Imagine (that) you were on a desert island, what would you do to eat as you don't like fish? B I would look for a coconut tree.