

# The different uses of the word 'even'

■ Rewrite the following sentences, using the word 'even'.

**Q1.** It's very surprising that he doesn't know simple mathematics.

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**Q2.** Everybody signed the agreement, including Jack Parker.

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**Q3.** It's very surprising that I can't give you one example.

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**Q4.** She speaks Spanish, Italian and also Japanese.

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**Q5.** Also Jack knows not to ask about that.

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■ Complete the following sentences with 'even if', 'even as' and 'even though'.

**Q6.** ..... the bell rang, he was writing in his notebook.

**Q7.** ..... it's raining, I'd still like to go to the park.

**Q8.** I don't care what he says, ..... he is my boss!

**Q9.** ..... we could reach him, he wouldn't pick up the phone.

**Q10.** I couldn't reach the ceiling, ..... I'm two meters tall.

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## ANSWERS

- A1.** He doesn't even know simple mathematics.
- A2.** Everybody signed the agreement, even Jack Parker.
- A3.** I can't even give you one example.
- A4.** She speaks Spanish, Italian, and even Japanese.
- A5.** Even Jack knows not to ask about that.
- A6.** **Even as** the bell rang, he was writing in his notebook.
- A7.** **Even though** it's raining, I'd still like to go to the park.
- A8.** I don't care what he says, **even if** he is my boss!
- A9.** **Even if** we could reach him, he wouldn't pick up the phone.
- A10.** I couldn't reach the ceiling, **even though** I'm two meters tall.