

# Creating Complex Sentences

In a **complex** sentence, the independent clause contains the most important or main idea, and the subordinate clause contains less important, or extra, information.

**DIRECTIONS:** Connect each of the following sentences to a related, independent clause to create a complex sentence. Use words like *after, although, who, which, when, until, when, so that, or since*.

1. We often hike on the weekends.
2. I only drink carbonated water.
3. Mary seldom makes mistakes.
4. Football season is my favorite time of year.
5. I always enjoy a breezy day.
6. There is nothing like a chocolate cake.

