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Same Or Different

but / or / both / too / either

I don't like Mr Strange
or Mr Metal.

Why?

Because...

Oh, wait! I like **both** Mr
Strange **and** Mr Metal!
I think you like them
too, right?

Grammar in Focus

We use **'but'** to connect a negative idea and a positive idea.

I don't like John **but** I like his brother.

We use **'or'** to connect two negative ideas.

I don't like pink **or** blue.

We use **'both...and...'** to connect two positive ideas.

I like **both** oranges **and** bananas.

We use **'too'** and **'either'** to show similar situations or opinions.

I like swimming. Peter likes swimming **too**. (positive)

My sister can't sing. I can't sing **either**. (negative)



Mistakes
Corner

✓ Eric can't swim **or** sing. ✗ Eric can't swim **and** sing.

1. I don't like singing (**A** and / **B** or) acting.

2. Tracy isn't working (**A** and / **B** or) studying.

A. William and Mr Strange are talking about films. Look at the pictures and fill in the brackets with the correct letters.



1. Mr Strange: I don't like the film *King Louis* because it is ().

A) exciting

2. William: I don't like this film **either** because it is not ().

B) amusing



3. William: The film *Dogs* is (). It makes me cry **but** I like it.

C) boring

4. Mr Strange: I like this film **too** because it is ().



D) touching

B. William and Miss Word are at a shopping centre. Many people are talking there. Circle the correct answers.

1. I don't like green (or / but / both) red.
2. I like this brown bag (or / but / both) I don't like that brown wallet.
3. I want (or / but / both) ham and cheese in my sandwich.
4. Dad doesn't like blue (or / but / both) black.
5. I like red (or / but / both) I don't like that red desk.
6. I like (or / but / both) the red pillow and the yellow pillow.
7. Sue enjoys both cooking (or / but / and) eating.
8. Hello! I am in the clothes shop. Are you in the clothes shop (too / either)?
9. Julie can't swim. Her brother can't swim (too / either).
10. When I am sad, my dog is sad (too / either).
11. Joe doesn't like durians. I don't like durians (either / too).



C. William is talking about Mr Strange and Mr Metal. Complete what he says using 'too' or 'either'.

Mr Strange is tall and thin. Mr Metal is tall and thin ① _____ . Mr Strange's fingers aren't long. Mr Metal's fingers aren't long ② _____ . Mr Strange doesn't have big eyes. Mr Metal doesn't have big eyes ③ _____ . Mr Strange doesn't like drawing. Mr Metal doesn't like drawing ④ _____ . Mr Strange is having lunch now. Mr Metal is having lunch ⑤ _____ . I like Mr Strange. I like Mr Metal ⑥ _____ .

D. William is writing down some facts about himself and his friends. Rewrite the sentences using 'but' or 'or'.

e.g. I don't like swimming. I don't like cycling.

I don't like _____ swimming or cycling _____ .

1. I am not sick. I am not sleepy.

I am not _____ .

2. Mr Metal can't go travelling. Mr Strange can go travelling.

Mr Metal can't go travelling _____ .


3. Miss Word doesn't play video games. Miss Word doesn't play card games.

4. Mr Metal works at night. Miss Word does not work at night.


5. Mr Strange isn't strange. Mr Strange isn't ugly.

E. William wants to know what TV programmes Mr Strange likes to watch. Fill in the blanks with 'but', 'or', 'both', 'too' or 'either'.


 : I don't like cookery programmes *e.g.* _____ or _____ the news.

 : Oh, but I like them. I also like ① _____ nature programmes and quiz shows.

 : I see. I like nature programmes ② _____. I don't like quiz shows ③ _____. I like game shows.

 : I don't like sports programmes ④ _____ game shows. They aren't interesting.

 : I don't like sports programmes ⑤ _____. I think they're boring.

 : I like ⑥ _____ documentaries and pop music programmes. Do you like them?

 : Yes, I like them ⑦ _____.



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