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A mentor can change everything.



Semicolons (Basic)

Decide if a semicolon is appropriate in the sentences below. (Yes/No)

1. I love the moon; while you love the sun.
2. Italians love pasta; because of that, they make the best pasta in the world.
3. She likes to garden; but he likes woodworking.
4. Given that it is a very complex subject, chemistry is confusing; it makes my head hurt.
5. I didn't expect it to snow today; so I wore my jelly sandals.
6. The camel spit on me at the zoo; and it was gross!
7. Because the Benadryl made him very sleepy; he still hasn't woken up yet.
8. All three friends have their own favorite cars: Darci drives a Chevy while Tim drives a Dodge; meanwhile, Evelyn "drives" a Tesla.
9. Should I wear a British colonial wig; or should I get a perm?
10. The Backstreet Boys used to be extremely famous in the 1990s; I wish they were still that well known.