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Fill in the blanks with appropriate conjunctions.

1. She was hungry .................................. she hadn’t eaten anything in a long time.

because

so

therefore

2. .............................................. he is late, we will go without him.

As

If

Either could be used here

3. .............................................. he is fat, he runs slowly.
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4. He is neither intelligent ........................................ hard working.

or

nor

and

5. I can’t talk to you now ........................................... I am busy.

because

so
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6. You can watch TV ........................................ you have finished your homework.

- hence
- if
- after

Either could be used here

7. ..................................................... you are feeling cold, I will put the heating on.

- If
- Unless
- Whether
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8. I had a headache, I enjoyed the party.

If

Even if

Even though

9. He spoke so fast I could not follow him.

and

that

hence

10. The faster you run, you get tired.

soon
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11. ………………………... he is the fastest runner, he finished last.

12. This is the house …………………………… I live.
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Answers

1. She was hungry because she hadn’t eaten anything in a long time.

2. If he is late, we will go without him.

3. As he is fat, he runs slowly.

4. He is neither intelligent nor hard working.

5. I can’t talk to you now because I am busy.

6. You can watch TV after / if you have finished your homework.

7. If you are feeling cold, I will put the heating on.

8. Even though I had a headache, I enjoyed the party.

9. He spoke so fast that I could not follow him.

10. The faster you run, the sooner you get tired.

11. Though he is the fastest runner, he finished last.

12. This is the house where I live.