

Grammar Task 2: Linkers
Suggested Time: 5 minutes+

Look at the words and phrases in the box and read the text below. Then complete the text by choosing the best words and phrases from the box. Use each word or phrase only once. Use correct spelling and capital letters. Write your answers on the **Answer Sheet**.

<i>Example:</i> Aisha is tall, _____ her sister is short.	Answer Sheet <u>but</u>
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for example	in contrast	while
in addition	in contrast to	
in addition to	such as	

Supermarkets

Large supermarkets are very popular nowadays. (1) _____, Lulu and Carrefour sell a lot of things in the UAE. (2) _____ small shops, large supermarkets have more choice for shoppers. (3) _____, they offer much lower prices than small shops.

In cities (4) _____ Dubai and Al Ain, many new supermarkets have been built in the last few years. One problem caused by these new supermarkets is that some small shops have to close. (5) _____ this problem, the supermarkets can cause traffic problems, including parking problems.

In my view, the advantages of supermarkets are more important than the disadvantages. In the future, I think there will be even more supermarkets, (6) _____, there will be even fewer small shops.

Answers

Grammar Syllabus 1A: Practice Task 2A (Supermarkets)

1. For example
2. In contrast to
3. In addition
4. such as
5. In addition to
6. while