

## Using 'and', 'when' and 'although'

Read the letter carefully. Fill in the blanks with the correct words in the box.

when

although

and

123 Church Street  
London  
United Kingdom

Dear Maria,

I arrived safely back in Singapore last night. Mother (1) \_\_\_\_\_ Father were happy to see me after so long. They missed you too. The journey back home was overall uneventful except for the effect of turbulence at one point in time.

Thank you for your hospitality. I enjoyed myself tremendously (2) \_\_\_\_\_ I was there. You are lucky to have got yourself a job there. If only I had studied harder, I might have been able to get into a school there.

Shopping in London was truly an enjoyment. I love those charity shops especially. (3) \_\_\_\_\_ its currency is three times more than Singapore, the items there are worth buying. I am glad to be able to buy some suitable clothing to wear in Singapore. I cannot wait to wear them (4) \_\_\_\_\_ school reopens.

Besides shopping, I also miss the view of the countryside and the tram rides. After being 'trapped' in a city for so long, a change in scenery did make a lot of difference. Mother (5) \_\_\_\_\_ Father want me to thank you for the lovely gifts you bought for them. They hope you did not spend too much on them.

I hope I have been a good guest. I cannot wait to visit you soon. Till we meet again, please take good care of yourself.

Love,  
Clare

Answers  
1. and

2. when

3. Although

4. when

5. and