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I can use semicolons to link two related main clauses.

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Semicolons can be used to show a strong link between two main clauses. Listed below are six main clauses. Work out which should be paired up, then copy them out as new sentences, using a semicolon to link the clauses.

The weather was deteriorating

She had practiced every single day.

He had a pudding every day at school!

Sally was confident she would do well in the test

Ben's mum said he had a sweet tooth

The rain was now falling more heavily.

1)

2)

3)



Add your own main clause to the sentences below. Remember, they must be closely linked to the first main clauses.

Paul couldn't wait to go on his Scout camping weekend;

Beth knew she was going to get into trouble;

The latest film was the greatest thing Ben had ever seen;