

TOPIC: VERBS - Conjunctive adverbs 1

Complete each of the following sentences using the most natural-sounding of the three conjunctive adverbs

ex: John was a good dancer; in contrast (*in contrast, subsequently, moreover*), his brother was a horrible dancer.

1. Diana spearheaded several initiatives to help homeless animals.
_____, (*In contrast, Finally, Moreover*) she gave a lot of money to charity.
2. James is tall and handsome. _____, (*In contrast, Similarly, Moreover*) his brother is of above-average height and quite good-looking.
3. He wanted to make sure everyone heard him; _____, (*still, therefore, finally*) he asked the organizers to give him a microphone.
4. He tried hard to solve the problem; _____, (*furthermore, nonetheless, next*) he couldn't come up with a solution.
5. This desk is well-made; _____, (*furthermore, nonetheless, next*) it's quite affordable.
6. Peter was sleeping; _____, (*then, meanwhile, still*) his brother was thinking of a plan to help their parents.
7. I thought that he was really shy; _____, (*then, meanwhile, still*) I realized that he was, in fact, quite outgoing.
8. The restaurant was really far away, so they decided not to go; _____, (*besides, likewise, meanwhile*) they didn't really like Chinese food.
9. She gave him a million different reasons why they should move; _____, (*indeed, otherwise, still*) he wasn't convinced.
10. My back hurts; _____, (*indeed, otherwise, still*) I'd help you carry your refrigerator upstairs.

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ANSWERS:

1. Moreover
2. Similarly
3. therefore
4. nonetheless
5. furthermore
6. meanwhile
7. then
8. besides
9. still
10. otherwise