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Ex:

(AAAWWWUBIS)

It rained. We went inside.

When it rained, we went inside.

PRACTICE THE CONVERSATION:

A: Will you read the first sentences?

B: *It rained. We went inside.*

A: Okay. Now will you read the bottom sentence?

B: *When it rained, we went inside.*

A: Great. Which word is the AAWWWUBIS?

B: *When.*

A: Yes. If you took it off, what would you have?

B: Two sentences, joined with a comma.

A: Can you join two sentences with a comma?

B: Never, never, never.

A: But after the **AAAWWWUB-ified** sentence, it's okay to put a comma?

B: It is. Because they are not two complete sentences anymore. It's one complete sentence and one that has been **AAAWWWUB-ified** into a fragment.

A: Great.

