

## Correlative Conjunctions

A man and a woman talk about the next presentation.

**Advanced English - Sound Grammar**

C1 Lesson 12 Conversation 3



**Part 1:** Listen to the conversation and answer the questions.

| 1 | Who does the woman say will give the next presentation? | 2 | Why don't Jim and Jack have experience giving sales presentations? | 3 | When does the woman say they have to learn? |
|---|---------------------------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------------|
| a | Jack                                                    | a | They are newbies.                                                  | a | Next week                                   |
| b | Jim                                                     | b | They haven't been trained.                                         | b | Next month                                  |
| c | Sally                                                   | c | They did not learn it.                                             | c | Not this time                               |

**Part 2:** Complete the blanks with the missing word. Use the first as a clue.

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| <b>Man:</b> Do you know _____ Jack or Sally will give the _____ presentation?                              | 1 | <b>whether</b> / neither |
| <b>Woman:</b> It will be Sally, for _____.                                                                 | 2 | near / next              |
| <b>Man:</b> Why _____ Jack, or Jim for that matter?                                                        | 3 | surely / sure            |
| <b>Woman:</b> Neither Jack _____ Jim have any experience giving a sales presentation _____ a major client. | 4 | no / not                 |
| <b>Man:</b> True, they are _____ newbies, but they have to _____ somehow.                                  | 5 | or / nor                 |
| <b>Woman:</b> True. Just not _____ time.                                                                   | 6 | to / too                 |
|                                                                                                            | 7 | either / both            |
|                                                                                                            | 8 | learn / learns           |
|                                                                                                            | 9 | these / this             |

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**Answer Key**

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