**1.3 Arbeitsblatt: *Improving style***

**Task 1: Rewrite the following sentences using the connector in brackets.**

1. Jenny apologised several times. Nevertheless, Jack wouldn’t speak to her. (although)
2. We decided to stay at home even though the sun was shining. (in spite of)
3. Liam works very hard to help his parents. He’s also a good student. (In addition) (Two different sentences)
4. I’m fond of cats. In addition, I’m fond of dogs. (as well as)
5. You’re late again. Furthermore, you haven’t done your homework. (and)
6. On the one hand, I’d love to come. On the other hand, I really have to do my work first. (However)
7. Berlin is a great place to visit, but it has got terrible traffic problems. (despite)

**Task 2: Fill in the blanks with a logical or sequence connector each**

1. There is no more cream left. \_\_\_\_\_\_ there is plenty of pudding.
2. The Lions Club has done well to help the poor. \_\_\_\_\_\_ the Rotary Club has done well, too.
3. The shop owner has been making losses. \_\_\_\_\_\_ he intends to give up his business.
4. The documents will be checked by the police. \_\_\_\_\_\_ they will be sent back to the office.
5. Wash the apples first. \_\_\_\_\_\_ you can boil them.
6. We have been trying to contact Jackson for the past few weeks. \_\_\_\_\_\_ we managed to find him to a motel in Texas.
7. Life in the city may be more exciting than life in the country. \_\_\_\_\_\_ you are not as close to nature with its peace and quietness.
8. Don’t be so self-assured. \_\_\_\_\_\_ we may lose out in the final round.
9. Jacky has experienced poverty and hardship before. \_\_\_\_\_\_ he has an open heart towards the poor and needy.
10. Molly has suffered a lot of bullying in her class. \_\_\_\_\_\_ she is friendly to everybody.

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**Task 1**

1. Although Jenny apologised several times, Jack wouldn't speak to her.
2. In spite of the sun shining he decided to stay at home.
3. Liam works very hard to help his parents. In addition, he's a good student.

(In addition to working hard to help his parents, Liam is also a good student.)

1. l’m fond of cats as well as dogs.
2. You’re late again, and you haven’t done your homework.
3. I'd love to come. However, I really have to do my work first.
4. Berlin is a great place to visit, despite its traffic problems.

**Task 2**

1. There is no more cream left. **However** there is plenty of pudding.
2. The Lions Club has done well to help the poor. **Similarly** the Rotary Club has done well too.
3. The documents will be checked by the police. **Then** they will be sent back tot he office.
4. The shop owner has been making losses. **Therefore** he intends to give up his business.
5. Wash the apples first. **Afterwards** you can boil them.
6. We have been trying to contact Jackson for the past few weeks. **Eventually** we managed to find him to a motel in Texas.
7. Life in the city may be more exciting than life in the country. **However** you are not as close to nature with its peace and quietness.
8. Let us not be complacent with ourselves. **Otherwise** we may lose out in the final round.
9. Jacky has experienced poverty and hardship before. **Therefore** he has an open heart towards the poor and needy.
10. Molly has suffered a lot of bullying in her class. **Nevertheless** she is friendly to everybody.