



2nd semester

Advanced

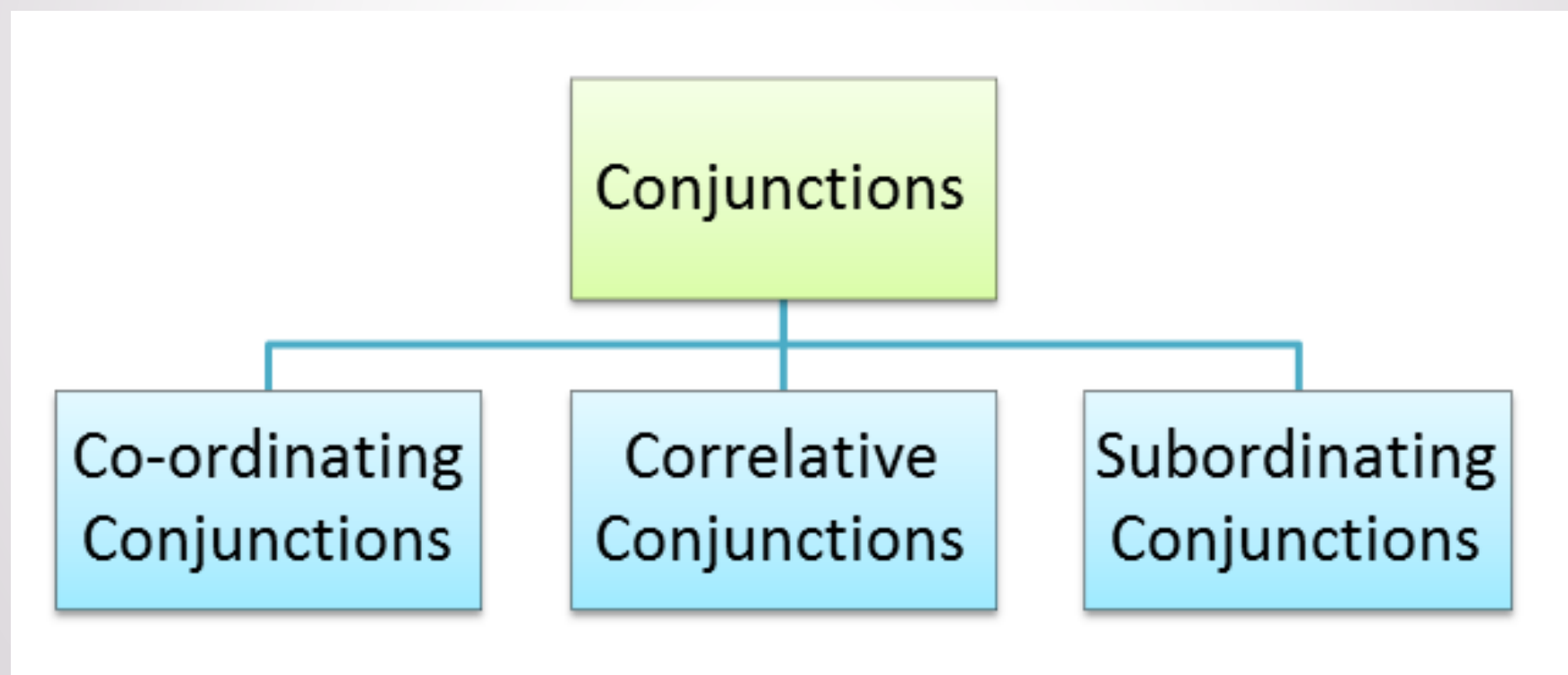
Lesson 13



Topic 13: Conjunctions. Grammar: Clauses.



Conjunctions are words that link other words, phrases, or clauses together.



Conjunctions

Coordinating



For

And

But

Yet

So

Or

Nor

Correlative



either/or

neither/nor

not only/but also

whether/or

Subordinating



because

although

whereas

since

while

as

as if





Clauses

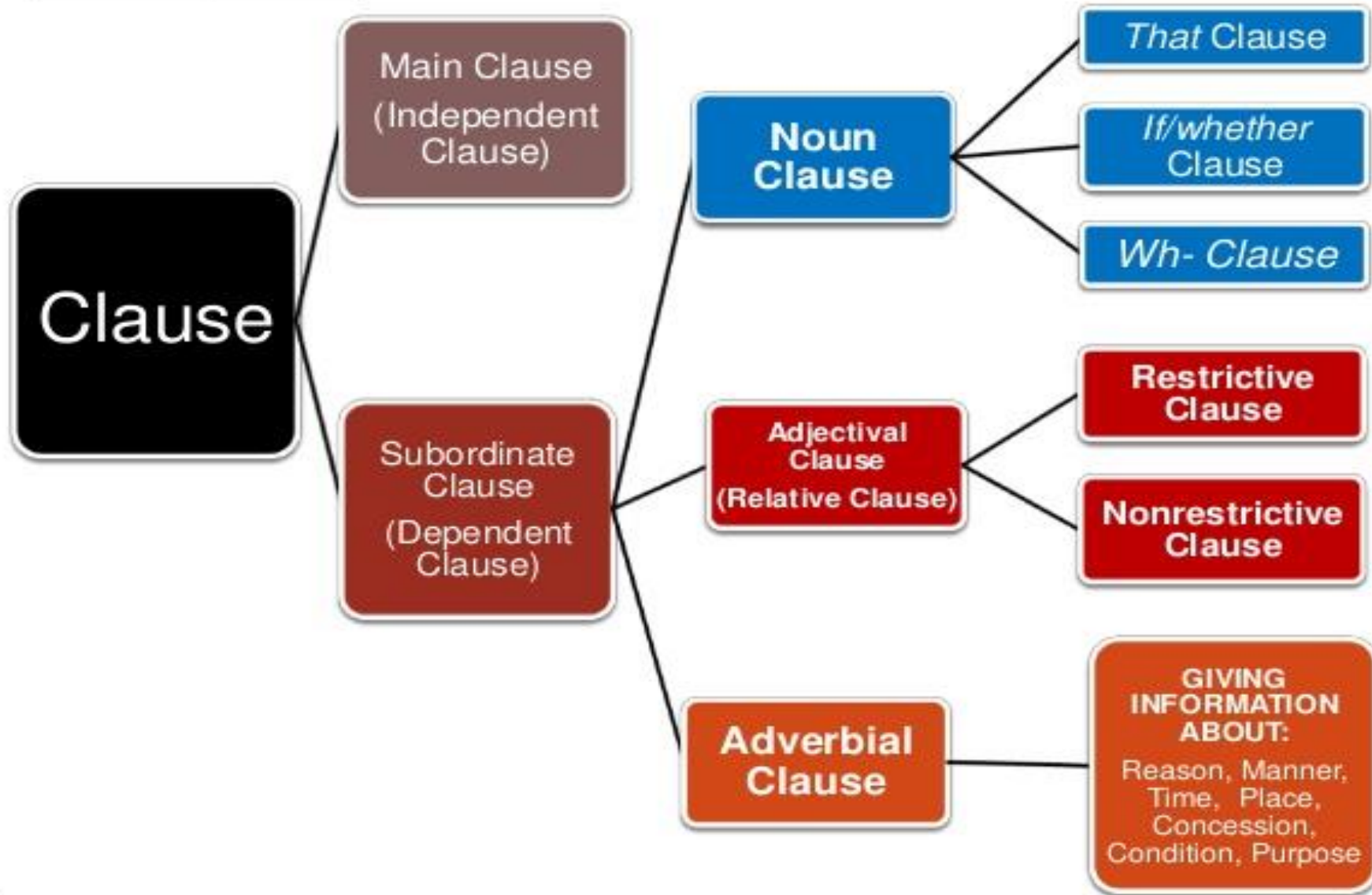
A clause is a group of words which contains a verb.

Simple sentences consist of one clause, in which the verb is finite.

Complex sentences are those that contain a subordinate clause as well as a main clause.

A compound sentence is one that consists of two main clauses, joined by a word such as and, but, or or, called a coordinating conjunction.

Summary Chart:





Change the word in bold into its adverbial synonym.

- a. It was (**nearly**) v_____ impossible, but he passed the test with flying colours.
- b. It was (**severely**) b_____ cold, yet we had to clear the snow from the pavement outside our house.
- c. My team are (**extremely**) h_____ motivated they should all qualify to the finals.
- d. I am (**very**) d_____ grateful to you for your help and involvement in the case.
- e. Our representatives are (**well**) f_____ aware that it will be an extremely difficult period.
- f. Do I make myself clear ? Yes, (**crystal**) p_____ clear.