**Complex Sentences**-Complex sentences are when you have two sentences joined together by a subordinating conjunction.

Subordinating Conjunctions:

After because since when

Before unless whenever although

As if until while

The conjunction can join the two sentences in the middle. If so, DO NOT use a comma.

 Ex: We did not go out for recess since it was raining outside.

If you use the conjunction at the beginning of the sentence, you will need to use a comma after the first sentence.

 Ex: Since it was raining outside, we did not go out for recess.

 Ex: After I finish my homework, I will go outside.

 Ex: Because I sprained my ankle, I couldn’t play in gym class.

My brother is interested in landscape design. As a career. My father is a floral designer my mother is a photographer all three careers are similar. In some ways. Each occupation requires an artistic ability the person should also have a good eye for color. And balance.

 My brother enjoys planting colorful flowers he likes to clip shrubs into unusual shapes. He has been reading a variety of books about different trees there is so much to learn. About landscaping.