

conjunction / idiom serving as conjunction
接続詞の働きをするイディオム

「so + 形容詞 (or 副詞) + that ~ (非常に…なので~)」とは違い、「so that ~ (～するために、その結果~)」は目的や結果を表します。
「as soon as ~ (～するやいなや、～するとすぐに)」、「as far as ~ (～する限り)」、「It is not until ~ that ... (～になって初めて…した / ~まで…しなかった)」などもあります。



今日の表現

Today's Expression

As far as I know,
this is Mike's job.

私の知る限り、
これはマイクの仕事です。

Exercise 1 Repeat each sentence after your teacher.
先生に続いて、重要表現をリピートしましょう！

- 1 As far as I know, this is Mike's job.
私の知る限り、これはマイクの仕事です。
- 2 The question was so difficult that no one was able to answer it.
その質問はとても難しく、誰もそれに答えることはできませんでした。
- 3 Come to the party as soon as you finish work.
仕事が終わる次第、できるだけ早くパーティに来て下さい。
- 4 It was not until 11:00 PM that we got off work.
私達は夜11時になってやっと仕事を終わりました。
- 5 Could you help me with the report so that I can meet the deadline?
締切に間に合うよう、このレポートを手伝ってもらえますか？

Check the grammar

The test was **so** difficult **that** many students failed.

He talks loudly **so that** his grandmother can hear him.

She went to bed **as soon as** she drank water. **As far as** I know, he is a nice person.

It was not **until** last Monday **that** my dog got sick.

Exercise 2 Sort the words and build sentences.

単語を並べ替えて、完成した文章を読みましょう！

- 1 (I met her / I started / as soon as / liking Mary).
- 2 (I know / he isn't lazy / as far as).
- 3 (that I realized / it was not until / I lost my purse / noon).



Answers

- 1 I started liking Mary as soon as I met her.
- 2 As far as I know, he isn't lazy.
- 3 It was not until noon that I realized I lost my purse.

Exercise 3 Answer the following questions. Try to explain your thoughts in sentences.

次の質問に答えましょう。文章であなたの考えを説明してみましょう！

- 1 Please make a sentence using the expression: "As soon as."
- 2 What are the best things to do so that a human body could stay healthy?



Additional Lesson

What do you think teachers should do so that their students are motivated to study?