



Grammar

Linking words: Purpose – Exercise

Use the linking word in brackets to formulate the same idea as the original sentence containing 'so'.

If there are several formulation possibilities, choose one. Make sure you use the correct punctuation.

Example:

I'm writing it down, so I don't forget. (in order to)

... I'm writing it down in order not to forget. ... / ... In order not to forget, I'm writing it down. ...

1. We spoke quietly so we wouldn't wake up the baby. (in order to)

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2. The equipment was sterilised so the risk of infection could be reduced. (so as to)

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3. The door was shut so we wouldn't be disturbed by the noise. (so that)

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4. Robots have replaced workers so efficiency can improve. (in order that)

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5. An interpreter was hired so everyone could speak in their own language. (so that)

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6. She's taken on an assistant so she can reduce her workload. (in order to)

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7. The management have enrolled on this programme so they can improve their leadership skills.
(with a view to)

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8. He opened a foreign bank account so he could avoid taxes. (for the purpose of)

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9. Local authorities are investing in solar farms so they can air pollution. (with the aim of)

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10. He resigned from his post with the intention of taking a sabbatical year. (with the intention of)

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