## Too, either, so, neither

Usamos nos finais das frases:

-Too / Either

Too: usado para concordar com algo que está na afirmativa.

Either: Usado para concordar com algo que está na negativa.

I like chocolate.

I like chocolate, too.

I don't like chocolate.

I don't like either.

Usamos geralmente no início das frases::

-So / Neither

<u>So:</u> usado para concordar com algo que está na afirmativa. (SO + auxiliar +pessoa que concorda)

<u>Neither</u>: Usado para concordar com algo que está na negativa. (Neither + auxiliar +pessoa que concorda)

I can dance. So can I. They aren't Brazilian.

Neither am I.

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1. Look at the cartoon below and answer the following questions.





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- a) Which words are used to say that an affirmative statement is also true for you or for other people?
- b) Which words are used to say that a negative statement is also true for you or for other people?
- c) What is the word order when so and neither are used?
- d) Can neither be used with negative words?

b) You lied during your campaign for presidency. (you/so)  c) They don't like discussing politics. (we/neither)  Volume 11	negative, all you have to do is state the opposite. Study these examples:  Ann: I was a child during the Brazilian military dictatorship.  Paul: I wasn't.  Leon: I didn't vote for him.  James: I did.	
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e) He has been a politician for over 20 years. (I/so)  f) She didn't see the election debate on TV last night. (we/neither)		

Pay attention!

 If you wish to say that a statement is not true for you, be it affirmative or

 ${\bf 2}.$  Respond to the following statements using the words in brackets.

a) I am not an anarchist. (she/neither)

3. Which option could be used as a response to the following quote?

Leve os alunos a perceber que para completar a atividade, devem identificar o auxiliar e o tempo verbal utilizado na frase principal.

## Unlike some politicians, I can admit to a mistake.

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a) (	) Neither can we.	d) (	) So am I.
b) (	) I can't, either.	e) (	) Neither are we.
c) (	) So can I.		
4. Che	ck ( $\checkmark$ ) the sentence that could have generate	d "So did she"	as a response.
a) (	) Peter used to be a democrat.	d) (	) We don't vote for newcomers.
b) (	) John didn't use to be an anarchist.	e) (	) He is hardly ever seen in public.
c) (	) She didn't vote last year.		

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Did you know?
In colloquial language, "me too" is used to say that a positive statement is also true for you, and "me neither" is used to say that a
negative statement is also true for you. See the following examples:
Dean: She'll need to vote absentee this year.
Ben: Me too.  Louis: I can't vote yet.  Hanna: Me neither.

Sugestão de atividades: questões 4 e 5 da seção Challenge yourself.