

Transition Words

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| Sequence/Order | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First, second, third • Next, then, finally • In the first place, also, lastly |
| Time | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After, afterward, at last • As soon as, before, then • Recently, meanwhile, later |
| Similarity/Addition | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Also, again, another • In fact, in general, in the same fashion • In addition, likewise, similarly • As though, besides, too |
| Exception/Contrast | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • However, but, in spite of • Although, in comparison, whereas • Otherwise, unfortunately, yet • Conversely, besides, unless |
| Additional Support | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additionally, again, further • Moreover, as well, then • Thus, provided that, therefore |
| Example | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For example, namely, as an illustration • To illustrate, to demonstrate, specifically |
| Purpose/Result | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fortunately, for this reason, as a result • Accordingly, since, hence |
| Clarification | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To explain, to rephrase, to exemplify • I.e., (that is), to clarify, that is to say |
| Intensification | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indeed, of course, by all means • Certainly, without a doubt, surely |
| Conclusion/Summary | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In brief, finally, in conclusion • To conclude, in summary, on the whole |