

## LINKING WORDS

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>LISTING</b></li> <li>• First, second, etc...</li> <li>• to begin</li> <li>• to conclude</li> <li>• next</li> <li>• finally</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>GIVING EXAMPLES</b></li> <li>• For examples</li> <li>• for instance</li> <li>• that is</li> <li>• namely</li> <li>• such as</li> <li>• in other words</li> </ul>
<p><b>REINFORCEMENT/ ADD</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Also</li> <li>• furthermore</li> <li>• moreover</li> <li>• in addition</li> <li>• what is more</li> <li>• besides</li> <li>• above all</li> <li>• as well as</li> <li>• in the same way</li> <li>• not only but also</li> <li>• then</li> <li>• additionally</li> <li>• also</li> <li>• in addition</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SIMILARITY</b></li> <li>• Equally</li> <li>• similarly</li> <li>• likewise</li> <li>• correspondingly</li> <li>• in the same way</li> <li>• by the same token</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SUMMARISE</b></li> <li>• In conclusion</li> <li>• to conclude</li> <li>• in brief/ briefly</li> <li>• to summarise/ sum up</li> <li>• overall</li> <li>• all in all</li> <li>• after all</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>GENERALISING</b></li> <li>• In general/ generally</li> <li>• on the whole</li> <li>• as a rule</li> <li>• for the most part</li> <li>• in most cases</li> <li>• usually</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>RESULT/ CONSEQUENCES</b></li> <li>• so</li> <li>• therefore</li> <li>• as a result</li> <li>• as a consequence/ consequently</li> <li>• because of this/ that</li> <li>• thus</li> <li>• hence</li> <li>• for this/ that reason</li> <li>• so that</li> <li>• in that case</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>HIGHLIGHTING</b></li> <li>• In particular / particularly</li> <li>• In general/ generally</li> <li>• especially</li> <li>• mainly</li> </ul>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• under these circumstances</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>STATING THE OBVIOUS</b></li> <li>• Clearly</li> <li>• obviously</li> <li>• undoubtedly</li> <li>• naturally</li> <li>• of course</li> <li>• surely</li> <li>• as can be expected</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>REFORMULATION</b></li> <li>• In other words</li> <li>• rather</li> <li>• to put it more simply</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>EXPRESSING ALTERNATIVES</b></li> <li>• Alternatively</li> <li>• rather</li> <li>• on the other hand</li> <li>• the alternative is</li> <li>• another possibility would be</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CONTRAST/ CONCESSIVE</b></li> <li>• However</li> <li>• even though</li> <li>• even if</li> <li>• even so</li> <li>• all the same</li> <li>• though/ although</li> <li>• however</li> <li>• nevertheless</li> <li>• nonetheless</li> <li>• still</li> <li>• yet</li> <li>• as long as</li> <li>• provided that/ providing</li> <li>• instead of</li> <li>• in spite of</li> <li>• despite (+ ing/ noun)</li> <li>• whereas</li> <li>• while/ whilst (formal Eng.)</li> <li>• much as</li> <li>• however/ whatever/ whoever, etc. (= no matter...)</li> <li>• by comparison</li> <li>• by contrast</li> <li>• in contrast</li> <li>• in comparison</li> <li>• conversely</li> <li>• instead</li> <li>• on the contrary</li> <li>• on the other hand</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>EXPRESSING TIME</b></li> <li>• Before</li> <li>• After</li> <li>• As soon as</li> <li>• Once</li> <li>• Later</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SEQUENCE</b></li> <li>• Next</li> <li>• Subsequently</li> <li>• Then</li> <li>• Thereafter</li> <li>• First / Firstly</li> </ul>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As</li> <li>• As long as</li> <li>• At the same time (as)</li> <li>• Every time</li> <li>• Since</li> <li>• Ever since</li> <li>• So long as</li> <li>• The first/second/next/last time</li> <li>• When</li> <li>• Whenever</li> <li>• While</li> <li>• By the time</li> <li>• Whilst</li> <li>• Now that</li> <li>• No sooner... than</li> <li>• The moment/ minute...</li> <li>• On (+ing)</li> <li>• The moment</li> <li>• At which point</li> <li>• By which time</li> <li>• Till</li> <li>• Until</li>   <li>• Afterward(s)</li> <li>• At first</li> <li>• Initially</li> <li>• Meanwhile</li> <li>• Meantime</li> <li>• Simultaneously</li> <li>• Eventually</li> <li>• Finally</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Initially</li> <li>• To begin</li>   <li>• Second / Secondly</li> <li>• Then</li> <li>• Third / Thirdly</li> <li>• Finally</li> <li>• Last / Lastly</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CONCLUSION</b></li>   <li>• In all</li> <li>• In summation</li> <li>• In conclusion</li> <li>• To conclude</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CONDITION</b></li>   <li>• Even if</li> <li>• If ... then</li> <li>• In case</li> <li>• Provided that</li> <li>• Providing</li> <li>• Unless</li> <li>• Whether or not</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CAUSE</b></li>   <li>• As a result of ...</li> <li>• Because</li> <li>• because of</li> <li>• for</li> <li>• as</li> <li>• Due to (the fact that)</li> <li>• In order to ...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>EFFECT</b></li>   <li>• (If) ... then</li> <li>• ... resulting in</li> <li>• So ...that</li> <li>• Such ... that/ in such a way as/ in such a way that</li> <li>• So</li> <li>• Accordingly</li> </ul>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resulting from ...</li> <li>• (Just) in case</li> <li>• Seeing that</li> <li>• In that/ insofar as / inasmuch as (formal Eng.)</li> <li>• Since ...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As a result</li> <li>• to result from</li> <li>• to result in</li> <li>• as a consequence</li> <li>• Consequently</li> <li>• Hence</li> <li>• Therefore</li> <li>• Thus</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>EMPHASIS</b></li> <li>• Undoubtedly</li> <li>• Indeed</li> <li>• Obviously</li> <li>• Generally</li> <li>• Admittedly</li> <li>• In theory/fact</li> <li>• Particularly</li> <li>• Especially</li> <li>• Clearly</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>COMPARISON</b></li> <li>• Similarly</li> <li>• Likewise</li> <li>• Also</li> <li>• Too</li> <li>• as</li> <li>• just as</li> <li>• and</li> <li>• like</li> <li>• just like</li> <li>• similar to</li> <li>• be similar to/ the same as</li> <li>• be alike</li> <li>• not only...but also</li> <li>• to compare to/with</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>PURPOSE</b></li> <li>• in order to</li> <li>• so as to</li> <li>• in order that</li> <li>• so that</li> <li>• for (+noun / +ing)</li> <li>• for fear of / that</li> <li>• lest (formal Eng.)</li> </ul>	