

## Signal Words

Purpose	Conjunctions between independent clauses	Conjunctions that begin dependent clauses	Transitions (usually precede independent clauses)
<b>cause or reason</b>	for	as a result of because due to the fact that since	
<b>choice</b>	or		
<b>clarification</b>			In other words, In simpler words, More simply, That is,
<b>comparison</b>			In the same way, Likewise, Similarly,
<b>concession</b>		although even though it may appear that though	Admittedly, Despite this Even so, Nevertheless,
<b>conclusion</b>			As can be seen Finally, In brief, In closing, In conclusion, To sum up, To summarize,
<b>condition</b>		even if if provided that unless when	
<b>consequence</b>	so	t	As a result, Because of this, Consequently, Hence, Therefore,
<b>contrast</b>	but	although while	Conversely, However, In contrast, Instead On the other hand,
<b>emphasis</b>			Actually, In fact,
<b>examples</b>			For example, In particular, Specifically, To illustrate,
<b>information</b>	and		Furthermore, In addition, Moreover,
<b>purpose</b>		in order that so that	

<b>refutation</b>			On the contrary,
<b>result</b>	so	so so that	As a consequence, As a result, Consequently, Therefore, Thus,
<b>time relationships</b>		after as as soon as before just as when while until whenever	Afterward, Finally, First, In the meantime, Meanwhile, Next, Second, Subsequently, Then,