

## Signal Words and Phrases Transitions

### To show addition or another fact

again  
also  
and  
and then  
another  
besides  
but also  
equally important  
finally  
first  
further  
furthermore  
in addition  
in fact  
last  
lastly  
likewise  
moreover  
next  
nor  
plus the fact that  
secondly  
then too  
too

### To show summary or repetition

as has been noted  
as I have said  
finally  
in brief  
in closing  
in conclusion  
in essence  
in other words  
in short  
in summary  
on the whole  
to conclude  
to sum up

To show  
comparison  
in like manner  
in the same way  
likewise  
similarly

### To show contrast or change in idea

although  
anyhow  
anyway  
at the same time  
but  
despite this  
even though  
for all that  
however  
in any event  
in contrast  
instead  
nevertheless  
notwithstanding  
on the contrary  
on the other hand  
otherwise  
still  
yet

### To show a specific case

a few of these are  
especially  
for example  
for instance  
in particular  
let us consider  
an example  
the following

### To show purpose

for this purpose  
to this end  
with this in mind  
with this object

### To show place

above  
across  
adjacent to  
below  
beneath  
beside  
beneath  
beside  
between  
beyond  
farther  
here  
nearby  
nearer  
on the  
opposite side  
opposite to  
over  
there  
under

### To show amount

few  
greater  
less than  
many  
more than  
most  
over  
under  
several  
smaller  
some

### To strengthen a point

basically  
essentially  
indeed  
truly  
undeniably  
without a doubt  
without any  
question

### To show time

after a few days

afterward  
at last  
at length  
before  
between  
finally  
immediately  
in the meantime  
later  
meanwhile  
not long after  
soon  
then  
while

### To show result

accordingly  
as a result  
because  
consequently  
for this reason  
hence  
so  
then  
therefore  
thereupon  
thus