

Transitional Signal Words

<p>Continuation Signals: Warning there are more ideas to come!</p>	<p>a final reason again, also, and, and finally, another, first of all, furthermore, in addition, last of all, likewise, more, moreover, next, one reason, other, secondly, similarly, too, with</p>
<p>Change-of-Direction Signals: Watch out, we're doubling back!</p>	<p>although, but, conversely, despite, different from, even though, however, in contrast, in spite of, instead of, nevertheless, on the contrary, on the other hand, otherwise, rather, still, the opposite, though, while, yet</p>
<p>Sequence Signals: There is an order to these ideas.</p>	<p>after, always, before, during, earlier, first (second, third), for one thing, into (far into the night), in the first place, last, later, next, now since, then, until, while</p>
<p>Illustration Signals: Here's what the principle means in reality</p>	<p>for example, for instance, in the same way as, much like, similar to, specifically, such as, to illustrate</p>
<p>Emphasis Signals: This is important!</p>	<p>above all, central issue, distinctive quality, especially important, especially relevant, important to note, it all boils down to, key feature, major development, major event, more than anything else, most of all, most noteworthy, pay particular attention to, primary concern, remember that, should be noted, significant factor, the basic concern, the chief outcome, the crux of the matter, the main value, the principle item</p>
<p>Conclusion Signals: This ends the discussion and may have special importance.</p>	<p>as a result, consequently, from what we see, hence, in conclusion, in summary, last of all, therefore</p>
<p>Cause, Condition, or Result Signals: on or modification coming.</p>	<p>as, because, but, consequently, due to, for, if, in order that, of, resulting from, since, so, so that, that, then, therefore, thus, unless, until, whether, while, yet</p>
<p>Comparison-Contrast Signals: We will now compare idea A with idea B.</p>	<p>also, although, and, best, better, but, different from, either, even, however, less, less than, like, more than, most, much as, opposite, or, rather, same, still, then, though, too, while, yet</p>