**Transition Words and Phrases**

Transition words and phrases help establish clear connections between ideas and ensure that sentences and paragraphs flow together smoothly, making them easier read.

**To indicate more information:**

Besides

Furthermore

In addition

Additionally

Indeed

In fact

Moreover

Further

**To indicate an example:**

For example

For instance

Particularly

Specifically

To demonstrate

To illustrate

**To indicate a cause or reason:**

Because

Because of

Due to

For

For the reason that

Since

**To indicate a result or an effect:**

Accordingly

Finally

Consequently

Hence

So

Therefore

**To indicate a purpose or reason why:**

In the hope that

In order to

So and so that

With this in mind

**To compare or contrast:**

Although

However

Admittedly

In comparison

In contrast

Likewise

Nevertheless

On the other hand

Similarly

Whereas

**To summarize:**

Briefly

In brief

Overall

Summing up

To summarize

To sum up

To put it briefly

**To conclude:**

Given these facts

In conclusion

So

Therefore

To conclude

In the end

**To indicate a particular time frame or a shift from one time period to another:**

After

Before

Currently

During

Eventually

Finally

First… second… etc.

Formerly

Immediately

Initially

Later

Meanwhile

Next

Previously

Simultaneously

Subsequently