

LINKING DEVICES

	FORMAL	INFORMAL
LISTING POINTS	Firstly, Initially, Secondly, To conclude, In conclusion Finally	To begin with, For a start, Then, Next, Last but not least.
ADDING INFORMATION	Furthermore, Moreover, In addition to this	Also, Besides this, As well as, What is more, Apart from this
EMPHASISING	In fact, Apparently, As a matter of fact, Obviously, Not only ... but also	To be honest, To tell you the truth
CONTRAST	In contrast, Contrary to, However, Despite the fact that, In spite of, In compa- rison to	Although, Whereas, On the other hand
RESULT CONSEQUENCE	Therefore, As a consequence, Consequently,	So, As a result, For this reason, In this case
SUMMARISING	On the whole, All in all, In conclusion	To sum up, For this reason, In this case
GIVING AN EXAMPLE	For instance, Particularly, Especially	For example, Such as, Like
CAUSE REASON	Due to Owing to	Because (of), As, Since
GIVING YOUR OPINION	I believe, Personally, I am in favour of, My belief is that	The way I see it, From my point of view, In my opinion/view
PURPOSE	In order to, So as to, So that	to
CLARIFYING MEANING	Specifically	To be more specific, In other words That is to say
TIME	Since, Before long, as soon as, The moment that, while, During, In the meantime, Immediately, Afterwards, Some time later, Soon, Then, Next, At first... but, In the end, By the time Eventually	