

Connecting two sentences in a paragraph

The following words will help you make the transition from sentence to sentence and from one paragraph to another. Using these transitional words and phrases will provide you with the tools to write excellent paragraphs.

The transitional words and phrases are ordered by their uses.

To extend or elaborate: then first, second finally in fact for example further moreover next soon in addition additionally	To assert consequence: accordingly consequently thus, therefore in short in sum in conclusion to conclude as a result for this reason given then because owing to
To refer: from this meanwhile after that before that lately, recently formerly, previously	To conclude: of course even so granted admittedly still, since after all
To underscore similarities: similarly likewise in the same way just as at the same time along these lines by analogy in a comparable way, comparably while	To highlight: to be sure indeed certainly clearly

<p>To contrast: yet, still however, but nevertheless on the contrary on the other hand although, though notwithstanding nonetheless in contrast, by contrast despite</p>	<p>Notes:</p>
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