

# Transitions Tool Box

## To introduce a claim or evidence:

- The primary reason
- Frequently
- In fact
- The most compelling evidence
- According to
- As stated
- For example\*
- For instance\*
- Another significant
- Most important\*
- Equally important\*
- Another key point
- It is important to realize
- Specifically
- First
- The first event/step/reason

## To clarify, elaborate, comment:

- This reveals
- This suggests
- This demonstrates
- This indicates
- This is important because
- In other words
- To put it differently
- In other words
- In this case
- As a result
- The logical conclusion is
- To put it another way
- That is
- Actually
- Thus
- This explains why
- This means that
- If..., then...

## To connect, add, continue:

- Not only
- It could also be said
- Similarly
- Similar\*
- Likewise
- Additionally
- Moreover
- Also\*
- And\*
- In addition
- Furthermore
- Another\*
- In the same way
- No only.... But also
- Equally important
- Of course

## To compare:

- Both\*
- Similarly
- In the same way
- Just as
- Also\*
- Another\*
- Along the same lines
- Likewise
- Equally

## To conclude:

- In conclusion
- This clearly shows
- Therefore
- Thus
- As a result
- Consequently
- In short
- To summarize
- Finally
- In brief
- Ultimately

## To shift, contradict or refute:

- Some sources suggest
- One text argues
- Others would say
- On the other hand
- A different view is
- In contrast
- However
- Despite this argument
- Conversely
- Unlike
- Nevertheless
- Regardless
- But\*
- Even though\*
- Although
- By contrast
- On the contrary
- Yet\*
- Whereas
- While
- Nonetheless

## To concede:

- It is true that
- Admittedly
- Of course..., but
- This may be true, but
- Although this may be a good point
- Indeed
- Granted

\*Can be used as an internal transition