

**Transition and linking words** are used to connect or link ideas within a text and in a paragraph.

### **To introduce a point of view**

- First, second, third
- Firstly, secondly, thirdly
- Furthermore
- Moreover
- Next
- As well
- In addition
- Also

### **To introduce an example**

- For example
- For instance
- To illustrate
- To demonstrate

### **To show comparison**

- Like
- In comparison
- In the same way
- In the same manner

### **To show contrast**

- Although
- But
- However
- Nevertheless
- Nonetheless
- Yet
- Even though
- In contrast
- On the contrary
- On the other hand

### **To show a time relation**

- After
- Before
- Currently
- During
- Eventually
- Later
- Meanwhile
- Next
- Previously
- Until
- As soon as
- In the future

### **To conclude**

- In conclusion
- Consequently
- Therefore
- As a result
- All in all
- Finally
- To conclude

### **To emphasize a point**

- Obviously
- It goes without saying
- As a matter of fact
- In fact