

CONNECTING WORDS LIST

	Coordinating Conjunctions	Subordinating Conjunctions	Adverbial Transitions
To add an idea	and (positive + positive) ----- nor (negative + negative)		Also, In addition, ...as well. In addition to X, Moreover, Furthermore, Besides, Besides X, First,.... Second,.... Finally,....
To show contrast or opposition	yet ----- but	although even though in spite of the fact that ----- while whereas	However, Nevertheless, Even so, In spite of X, ----- In contrast, On the contrary, On the other hand, Unlike X,
To show a result	so	...so (adjective) that... ...such a (noun) that...	Therefore, Consequently, Thus, Because of X, Hence, As a result, For this reason,
To show a reason	for	because since due to the fact that on account of the fact that	
To show a choice	or		Otherwise, Instead, Rather,
To show time rela- tionships		after before as soon as once while when whenever until since	Finally, At last, Afterward, Next, Then At that moment, Just then Meanwhile, At the same time,
To show condi- tion		unless even if if as long as	In this case, This being so, In such an event,
To give an example			For example, For instance,
To show similarity			Likewise, Like X, ... Similarly,

1. I agree with the first idea. I don't agree with the second idea.
2. Someone is obsessed with money. They forget to enjoy what they are doing.
3. He makes a lot of money now. He isn't happy. His family relationships are bad.
4. A teacher doesn't make as much money as a lawyer. You like to be a teacher. You will be happy.
5. We have to keep a rule. The rule is unfair. We break the rule.
6. She was very poor. She couldn't even finish her high school education.
7. She worked hard. She became the best pop singer in Korea.