

Formal Linking Reference Sheet^{#2}

Addition,	Contrast
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In addition / additionally / an additional • Furthermore... • Moreover... 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • However • Nevertheless • Nonetheless • Although / even though / Though • Despite / in spite of • In contrast (to) • Whereas
Comparison	Example
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Similarly / similar to • In comparison with • Compared to / with 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For example • For instance • To illustrate • To exemplify • That is (i.e.) • Such as
Result	Sequence
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As a result • As a consequence (of) / Consequently • Therefore • Thus • Hence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First / firstly, second / secondly, third / thirdly etc • Next, last, finally • Subsequently, • The latter and the former,
Emphasis	Reason
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undoubtedly • Generally • In fact • Particularly / in particular • Clearly • Importantly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Owing to • Due to the fact that • Because (of) • Since • As
Conclusion	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In summary, To summarise • In conclusion / to conclude • Overall, • To sum up, 	

Linking Connectors Activity^{#3}

1. The car was recalled **because of / resulting in** a design fault.
2. The factory was forced to close **as a result of / therefore** the sales rapidly declining.
3. The fire started at the weekend. **Owing to / Since** the office was empty, no one was hurt.
4. **Consequently / owing to** the recession, most retailers have recorded a sharp fall in profits.
5. **Despite / whereas** the evidence being presented by experts, some people still do not agree with the decision.
6. Several economists have recommended a cut in interest rates, **however / due to the fact that** this may cause inflation.
7. **While / however** children incur medical costs to the state, the care of the elderly is much higher.
8. Spanish adult English learners often have to fit classes around their work. **In addition, Nevertheless,** they have to pay for the full costs of their courses.
9. Peterson's sell antique furniture **as well as / in contrast to** selling rare books.
10. **Also / in addition to** the university having a sports centre, there is a fully equipped gym.
11. A recent article has suggested that one procedure to cut the deficit is for the president to reduce the federal budget; _____, claiming that federal, state, and local taxes should be lowered. (**however, in contrast, furthermore**)
12. Another article has claimed that the causes of inflation were identifiable. _____ energy prices have risen by 20% over last 6 months. (**however, for example, therefore**)
13. Rising wages are possibly one of the primary causes of inflation; _____ more evidence is needed to support this claim. (**however; therefore, for example**)
14. In physics, the weight of an object is the gravitational force³ with which the Earth attracts it; _____, if a man weighs 150 pounds, this means that Earth pulls him down with a force of 150 pounds. (**moreover, therefore, for example**)
15. There were a large number of people who opposed Heathrow's expansion plans, who were _____ ignored in the final consultation. (**in conclusion, for example, nevertheless**)