



Appendices

UNIT 1 – LINKING WORDS

Giving Examples

for example	<i>There are many types of cheese, for example, mozzarella and cream cheese.</i>
for instance	<i>I can play some musical instruments, for instance, the guitar and the drums.</i>
namely	<i>He likes a completely different sport, namely kitesurfing.</i>

Adding Information

also	<i>He also writes books.</i>
and	<i>My favorite kinds of movies are dramas and comedies.</i>
apart from	<i>Apart from David, nobody got hurt.</i>
as well as	<i>As well as strong, my boyfriend is really courageous.</i>
besides	<i>Besides Joan, many more of your friends will be there.</i>
furthermore	<i>People are becoming more responsive to the campaigns. Furthermore, pollution has been reduced.</i>
in addition	<i>They study Physical Education. In addition, they learn some medicine.</i>
in addition to	<i>In addition to strengthening your heart, exercise may strengthen your immunity system.</i>
moreover	<i>The apartment was empty. Moreover, it was dusty.</i>
too	<i>The kids love singing, too.</i>

Summarizing

in a nutshell	<i>It was a very long meeting but, in a nutshell, our project was approved.</i>
in brief	<i>I didn't like anything served at the party. In brief, the food was terrible.</i>
in conclusion	<i>In conclusion, the best way to lose weight is to start a healthy diet.</i>
in short	<i>The activity can be a puzzle, a guessing game, or a song – in short, anything creative.</i>

in summary	<i>In summary</i> , this book is a great introduction to philosophy.
to conclude	To conclude , besides being cheaper, going to work by bicycle is also a good way to exercise.
to summarize	To summarize , he found a very clever solution to the problem.

Sequencing Ideas

the former... the latter	He has two daughters: Deborah and Lucy. The former is a dentist, the latter is a very successful lawyer.
firstly, secondly, finally	Firstly , we have to think about a theme. Secondly , we need to come up with ideas for the project. Then, finally , we will put everything into practice.
lastly	Lastly , she put on her coat and left.
the first point is	The first point to consider is that the budget is too low.
the following	The following step is to test the product.

Giving a Reason

as	As he was feeling very sleepy, he went to bed early.
because	I'm going to do it because I think it's a good idea.
because of	We are running late at the office because of Peter's delay.
due to / due to the fact that	She can't speak much due to a sore throat.
owing to / owing to the fact that	Denise is exhausted owing to the fact that she hasn't taken vacations in three years.
since	Since Mom is not making dinner, I'll have to order some food.

Giving a Result

as a result	Martha was promoted as a result of her dedication and good results.
consequently	Lynn was fed up with Jim's persistent calls. Consequently , she broke up with him.
so	It was getting late, so I decided to go back home.
therefore	Everyone is wearing heavy coats. Therefore , it must be really cold outside.
this means that	I didn't get my paycheck. This means that I won't be able to travel this weekend.

Contrasting Ideas

although / even though	<i>Although her flight was delayed, Sarah was able to arrive in time for the meeting.</i>
but	<i>I could eat this bowl of ice cream, but I'm on a diet.</i>
despite / despite the fact that	<i>Despite being a handsome and successful man, Carlo had a hard time finding a girlfriend.</i>
however	<i>I would love to buy this car. However, I don't think I can afford it.</i>
in spite of / in spite of the fact that	<i>In spite of her financial problems, Jane didn't accept the job offer.</i>
in theory... in practice...	<i>In theory this seems to be a very easy task, but in practice it's not a piece of cake.</i>
nevertheless	<i>It was a small mistake, but it was fatal nevertheless.</i>
nonetheless	<i>Sheila was serious, but nonetheless very friendly.</i>
unlike	<i>Unlike every other teenager I know, my cousin is not fond of night clubs.</i>
whereas	<i>I like going to the beach, whereas my boyfriend prefers going to the movies.</i>
while	<i>The movie I rented is fabulous, while that other one is boring.</i>

UNIT 2 – IDIOMS

a piece of cake: algo muito fácil	<i>This job is a piece of cake. I don't need another week to finish it.</i>
be fed up with: sem paciência, cansado	<i>I'm so fed up with Daniel's rudeness!</i>
be head over heels: estar completamente apaixonado	<i>Do you believe they met at a bookstore and are now head over heels?</i>
be on cloud nine: ficar muito feliz, nas nuvens	<i>Since she didn't expect to get a promotion (and got it), she's on cloud nine now.</i>
break a leg: boa sorte	<i>I know you have a test this afternoon. Break a leg!</i>
couch potato: alguém que passa muito tempo em frente à TV	<i>Don't be such a couch potato, let's do some exercise!</i>
feel blue: sentir-se triste, deprimido	<i>I'm feeling blue because I haven't seen my family for quite a long time.</i>
get cold feet: desistir por falta de coragem	<i>I was going to ask her out, but I got cold feet.</i>
get on one's nerves: irritar alguém	<i>That girl keeps calling you every 5 minutes. She's getting on my nerves.</i>