

1. He tried to play until the end of the match. He had injured his knee.
(although)
 2. She didn't offer chocolates to her friends. She ate them all herself.
(instead of)
 3. Laura is a popular athlete. Several foreign newspapers have published articles about her. (such ... that)
 4. She spoke very loudly. The old man still couldn't hear her.
(no matter how)
 5. She was away from school for a month. She got a good mark in the test. (in spite of)
 6. He wrote an essay yesterday. He read a book too.
(not only ... but ... also)
 7. people couldn't reach Ifrane by road. It was snowing. (because of)
 8. He is very strict. All his pupils are frightened of him. (such ... that)
 9. I must put my glasses on; otherwise, I won't be able to see very well.
(unless)
 10. The sea was very rough. Nobody was seasick. (in spite of)
 11. We haven't seen him. We haven't heard from him for over a year.
(neither ... nor)
 12. I got to the cinema early. I wanted to have a good seat. (so as to)
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13. She didn't go to meet her father at the airport. She waited for him at home. (instead of)
 14. He drove from Tangier to Agadir. He didn't stop for a rest. (without)
 15. The dessert was very tasty. We asked for a second helping. (so ... that)
 16. Road conditions were extremely bad. There were no accidents.
(in spite of)
 17. I can't afford a holiday this year. I've very little money. (as)
 18. They didn't want to be seen. They hid behind the bushes. (so as not)
 19. she sorted out her clothes. She realized that she needed some new ones. (while)
 20. She didn't finish her essay. She watched a film on television.
(instead of)
 21. He stood on the chair. He wanted to reach the top shelf of the bookcase. (so that)
 22. He was seriously ill. He refused to see a doctor. (despite)
 23. They tied the thief up. They didn't want him to escape. (so that)
 24. He hurried. He didn't want to be late. (so as not)
 25. He bought six bars of chocolate. He wanted each child to have one.
(in order that)

10. Refutation

on the contrary

- She is not ugly. **On the contrary**, she is a good-looking girl.
- I don't hate classical music. **On the contrary**, I'm very fond of it.

11. Reformulation

in other words *to put it in a different way, put differently*

- He is a conservative. **In other words**, he favors the preservation of old institutions in their original form.
- Is there a cheaper solution? **In other words**, can you make a cheaper device?

12. Correction

rather to be more precise

- He is enjoying himself. **Rather**, he seems to be enjoying himself.
- This system must be improved. **Rather**, it must be thoroughly changed.
- Her name is not Margeret. **Rather**, it is Margot.

13. Transition

as for *as to* *with regard to* *with respect to*
as regards *regarding* *as far as X is concerned*

- Both Orkun and Ozkan are my friends. Orkun studies law at Ankara University. **As for** Ozkan, he studies mechanical engineering at METU.
- **As far as comfort is concerned**, a car is definitely much better than a bicycle. *On the other hand*, with respect to convenience, it is difficult to say the same thing.
- METU and ITU are similar in several respects (=ways). First, they are both technical universities. Secondly, they are alike **as regards** the courses offered.
- Sony, which is \$550, is much more expensive than Grundig, which is \$440. However, **as far as quality is concerned** (With regard to/ As regards quality), *the former is far better than the latter*.

14. Alternative

- You're welcome to come with us now in our car. **Alternatively**, you could go later with Mary.

15. Negative Condition

or else *otherwise*

- I must leave now, **or else** I'll be late.
- You must study hard. **Otherwise**, you may fail.

16. Summation/ Conclusion

in summary *in brief* *in short* *in conclusion to be brief* *to sum up* *all in all*

- This is our most disastrous and embarrassing defeat ever; **in short**, it is a fiasco.
- The system lacked originality, efficiency and ingenuity. **In conclusion**, it was a complete failure.

5. Time

- I read the morning papers for a while. Afterwards, I took a shower.
- First pick up the receiver and then insert a coin into the coin-box.
- At first, I had great difficulty with grammar. Later, however, I was able to overcome these difficulties by studying hard.
- The party is Tuesday, but in the meantime I have to shop and prepare the food.
- They'll be here soon. Meanwhile, let's have coffee.

TIME

at first
afterwards
later
then
in the meantime
meanwhile

6. Exemplification

- Women generally live longer than men. For instance, in the United States life expectancy for women is 75, while it is 73 for men.
- Earthquakes can be highly destructive. To illustrate, the earthquake which occurred in Erzincan in 1939 devastated the whole town, killing more than 35,000 people.

EXEMPLIFICATION

for instance
for example
to illustrate

7. Particularization

in particular particularly specifically

- Shopping in small markets is quite advantageous. In particular, one can find specialty items that larger stores do not contain.
- We still needed to arrange several details for the trip. Specifically, we had to make plane and train reservations as well as decide on the final itinerary.

8. Explanation

that is namely in other words that is to say

- The brochure dealt with travelling in Morocco. That is/In other words/ Namely, it discussed transportation, currency, and language.
- The machinery was not impaired; that is, it wasn't damaged.
- Good readers should be able to read between the lines; that is, they should be able to make inferences (=to draw conclusions) about information that is conveyed indirectly or given only partially.
- There is only one topic to discuss, namely, the question of discipline.
- As a child grows up, he learns how to behave in ways which are appropriate to the society into which he is born. That is to say, he acquires the patterns of behavior which are accepted as normal in his society.

9. Emphasis

in fact indeed as a matter of fact actually

- He is quite wealthy. In fact, he is one of the richest men in Turkey.
- I like reading. As a matter of fact, it is my favorite pastime.
- Mural is a highly talented musician. Indeed, he has an extraordinary gift for music.

SENTENCE CONNECTORS

1. Similarity

likewise similarly correspondingly by the same token in the same way

- Men must wear a jacket and a tie; **similarly**, women must wear a skirt or a dress, not trousers.
- She was late and I **similarly** was delayed.
- You can't teach navigation in the middle of a storm. **Likewise**, you can't build a system of values in the current educational climate.

2. Contrast

a. Direct Opposition

- Ali worked hard. **On the other hand/In contrast/ However**, Okan hardly did any work at all.
- Metin is lazy. **However**, his brother is quite diligent (=hard working).
- George is an optimist. **In contrast/However/**, Bill is a pessimist.
- Extroverts love crowds. **In contrast**, introverts prefer solitude.
- Six is more than five; **conversely**, five is less than six.

b. Denial of Expectation (Unexpected result)

- She studied diligently for several months. **Nevertheless/However/Yet/Nonetheless**, she failed.
- George is very handsome. **Yet**, he is not popular with girls.
- My uncle is 70 years old now. **Nonetheless**, he maintains his interest in legal matters.
- It's raining. **Even so**, we must go out.

CONTRAST

On the other hand
In contrast
conversely

however
yet
still
nonetheless
nevertheless
even so
in spite of this
despite that/this

3. Result

- He passed his exams. **Therefore/Thus/Hence/Accordingly/Consequently**, he had some good news to tell his parents.
- Professor Brown is an outstanding scientist. **Hence**, he is highly respected.
- He has been studying hard for a long time. **Thus**, he has made considerable progress.
- He lacks self-confidence. **As a consequence**, he is unlikely to be successful.
- The demand has increased sharply. **Accordingly**, the prices are higher now.

RESULT

as a consequence
accordingly
for this/that reason
therefore
as a result
consequently
hence
thus
because of that/this

4. Addition and Listing

ADDITION AND LISTING

also besides further moreover furthermore in addition
first (firstly, first of all, to begin with, in the first place, for one thing)
secondly (second, in the second place, for another thing)
thirdly (third, in the third place)
finally, lastly, last of all

- Aykut plays football. **Moreover/ Besides/ Also**, he runs a restaurant.
- Necla writes short stories, **in addition**, she writes articles for a newspaper.
- To prepare his homework, Jack went through various history books. **Furthermore**, he took notes from several encyclopedias.
- During her spare time, Ayla practices the piano; **in addition**, she plays the violin.
- I prefer to buy fruits and vegetables in the open market because they are quite cheap there. **Besides**, they are much fresher than fruits and vegetables sold at the greengrocers'.
- Living in a big city offers good job opportunities. **Also**, it provides good educational opportunities.
- All does not have a gift for music. **Moreover**, he lacks motivation to practice music. **Therefore**, he can't become a good musician.
- Owning a car has some advantages. **First (First of all/Firstly/ To begin with)**, it gives you comfort. **Secondly**, it saves you a lot of time. **Thirdly**, it gives you great freedom of movement.