

Transition Sets

One Another Finally	First Next At last	First of all, The second A third	First Second Third
One Also Another Finally	Start by Next Then Finally	Initially Then After Later	In the spring In the summer In the fall In the winter
My first choice My second choice	First of all More importantly	A good An even better The best	One important Equally important
During the week On the weekend	With my friends With my family On my own	I first heard I also heard	One Another
One example Another example A third example	In the beginning As By the time Then	One good choice Another choice The best choice	Early each morning Throughout the day In the evening
To begin After that Then Next Finally	One example A better example The best example	One difference A second difference The most obvious difference	Before winter break During winter break After winter break

Transitions for Different Purposes

◆ Introduce new ideas.

◆ Connect key/star ideas (reasons, details, or facts).

Basic Transitions Sets

One • The other

One • Another

First of all • Also

To begin • Next

One • Equally important

First of all • Next • The final

One example • Another example

A good example • A better example

An important • An equally important

A good • A better • The best

To begin • Then • Consequently

One way • Another way • A final method

Initially • Then • After that

A bad • A worse • The worst

To begin • At the same time • Finally

First of all • Besides • In addition

Transition Words for Showing Place or Location

Near Outside

Beside Inside

On top of Behind

Between Next to

Across from By

Throughout

To the right of

On the left side

Transition Words for Showing Time

Before After

During Later

Until Then

Meanwhile

As soon as

Sometimes

Transitions Words for Showing Alike or Different

Similar to

Unlike

Equal to

On the other hand

Likewise

Opposite from

A similar

In contrast

Another

Different from

The same as

But

Transitions Words for Making a Point

For example

An example of

For instance

As well as

In other words

The most important

Furthermore