

Linkers for IELTS

Linkers (also called linking words, transitions, or connectors) are words or phrases that connect ideas, sentences, and paragraphs to make writing cohesive and easy to follow.

They show the logical relationship between different parts of a text, preventing writing from feeling choppy.

Adding Information

1. And

Writing Task 2: Governments should improve public transport **and** build more cycling lanes.

Speaking: I enjoy reading books **and** watching documentaries.

2. Also

Writing Task 2: Students should **also** learn practical life skills at school.

Speaking: I **also** like spending time with my family on weekends.

3. In addition

Writing Task 2: **In addition**, governments should invest more money in renewable energy.

Speaking: I enjoy playing football. **In addition**, I go to the gym regularly.

4. Additionally

Writing Task 2: **Additionally**, online education provides flexible learning opportunities.

Speaking: **Additionally**, I like learning new languages in my free time.

5. Furthermore

Writing Task 2: **Furthermore**, stricter traffic laws can reduce road accidents.

Speaking: **Furthermore**, I think teamwork helps people learn faster.

6. Moreover

Writing Task 2: **Moreover**, regular exercise improves both physical and mental health.

Speaking: I enjoy traveling. **Moreover**, it helps me understand different cultures.

7. Besides

Writing Task 2: **Besides** reducing pollution, public transport helps decrease traffic congestion.

Speaking: **Besides** English, I'm learning Japanese.

8. As well as

Writing Task 2: Schools should teach communication skills **as well as** academic subjects.

Speaking: I enjoy hiking **as well as** taking photographs.

9. Not only... but also

Writing Task 2: Technology has **not only** changed communication **but also** transformed education.

Speaking: My hometown is **not only** beautiful **but also** very peaceful.

10. What's more

Writing Task 2: **What's more**, recycling programs create new employment opportunities.

Speaking: I like my job. **What's more**, it's close to my home.

11. Apart from

Writing Task 2: **Apart from** improving public health, parks increase the quality of urban life.

Speaking: **Apart from** studying, I enjoy playing the guitar.

12. Along with

Writing Task 2: The government should provide financial support **along with** better healthcare services.

Speaking: I brought my notebook **along with** my laptop to class.

Showing Contrast Connectors

1. However

Writing Task 2: Many people prefer living in cities. **However**, rural areas offer a more peaceful lifestyle.

Speaking: I enjoy watching movies. **However**, I don't have much free time these days.

2. Nevertheless

Writing Task 2: The project was expensive. **Nevertheless**, it produced significant long-term benefits.

Speaking: It was raining heavily. **Nevertheless**, we decided to go for a walk.

3. Nonetheless

Writing Task 2: Many students find mathematics difficult. **Nonetheless**, it is an essential subject.

Speaking: The journey was tiring. **Nonetheless**, I had a wonderful time.

4. On the other hand

Writing Task 2: Some people prefer online shopping. **On the other hand**, others enjoy visiting physical stores.

Speaking: I like living in the city. **On the other hand**, the countryside is much quieter.

5. In contrast

Writing Task 2: Urban areas are often crowded. **In contrast**, rural areas are generally more peaceful.

Speaking: My brother loves spicy food. **In contrast**, I prefer mild dishes.

6. By contrast

Writing Task 2: Private schools usually have smaller classes. **By contrast**, public schools often have larger class sizes.

Speaking: My older sister is outgoing. **By contrast**, I'm quite shy.

7. Although

Writing Task 2: Although technology has many advantages, it can also reduce face-to-face communication.

Speaking: Although I was nervous, I enjoyed giving the presentation.

8. Though

Writing Task 2: Though online learning is convenient, traditional classrooms remain important.

Speaking: I like the restaurant, **though** it's a bit expensive.

9. Even though

Writing Task 2: Even though renewable energy is costly to develop, it benefits the environment.

Speaking: Even though I was tired, I finished my homework.

10. Whereas

Writing Task 2: Some people prefer working from home, **whereas** others enjoy working in an office.

Speaking: I like coffee, **whereas** my sister prefers tea.

11. While

Writing Task 2: While technology has improved communication, it has also created new challenges.

Speaking: While I enjoy traveling, I don't like long flights.

12. Instead

Writing Task 2: Governments should invest in public transport **instead** of building more highways.

Speaking: I didn't watch TV. **Instead**, I read a book.

13. Rather than

Writing Task 2: People should use public transport **rather than** private cars to reduce pollution.

Speaking: I'd rather stay at home **rather than** go out in the rain.

Best for IELTS Writing Task 2

- However
- Nevertheless
- Nonetheless
- In contrast
- By contrast
- Whereas
- While
- Although
- Even though
- Rather than

Best for IELTS Speaking

- However
- On the other hand
- Though
- Although
- While
- Instead
- Rather than

Cause & Effect Connectors

1. Because

Writing Task 2: Many people prefer online learning **because** it offers greater flexibility.

Speaking: I stayed at home **because** I wasn't feeling well.

2. Because of

Writing Task 2: **Because of** heavy traffic, many people choose to use public transport.

Speaking: We arrived late **because of** the rain.

3. Since

Writing Task 2: **Since** education plays a vital role in society, governments should invest more in schools.

Speaking: **Since** I had some free time, I decided to visit my grandparents.

4. As

Writing Task 2: **As** pollution is increasing, stricter environmental laws are necessary.

Speaking: **As** I was tired, I went to bed early.

5. Therefore

Writing Task 2: Air pollution is becoming more serious. **Therefore**, governments should promote cleaner energy sources.

Speaking: I forgot to set my alarm. **Therefore**, I woke up late.

6. Thus

Writing Task 2: Public transport is affordable. **Thus**, more people are encouraged to use it.

Speaking: I studied hard. **Thus**, I passed the exam with a high score.

7. Hence

Writing Task 2: Fossil fuels are limited. **Hence**, countries should invest in renewable energy.

Speaking: I lost my wallet. **Hence**, I couldn't pay for lunch.

8. As a result

Writing Task 2: Many factories release harmful gases. **As a result**, air quality has deteriorated.

Speaking: It snowed all night. **As a result**, the roads were closed.

9. Consequently

Writing Task 2: The population is growing rapidly. **Consequently**, the demand for housing has increased.

Speaking: I didn't prepare for the interview. **Consequently**, I wasn't confident.

10. For this reason

Writing Task 2: Many young people lack financial knowledge. **For this reason**, schools should teach financial literacy.

Speaking: I enjoy helping others. **For this reason**, I want to become a teacher.

11. Due to

Writing Task 2: Many flights were canceled **due to** bad weather.

Speaking: The match was postponed **due to** heavy rain.

12. Owing to

Writing Task 2: **Owing to** technological advances, people can work remotely more easily.

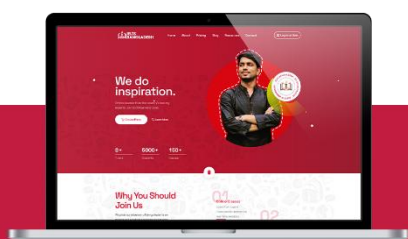
Speaking: We reached home late **owing to** a traffic jam.

Best for IELTS Writing Task 2

- Therefore
- Thus
- Hence
- As a result
- Consequently
- For this reason
- Due to
- Owing to
- Because of

Best for IELTS Speaking

- Because
- Since
- As
- Because of
- As a result
- Due to
- For this reason



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Giving Examples Connectors

1. For example

Writing Task 2: Many countries are investing in renewable energy. **For example**, Germany has expanded its use of solar power.

Speaking: I enjoy outdoor activities. **For example**, I often go hiking on weekends.

2. For instance

Writing Task 2: Technology has transformed education. **For instance**, students can now attend online classes from anywhere.

Speaking: I like trying different cuisines. **For instance**, I recently tasted Korean food.

3. Such as

Writing Task 2: Governments should encourage renewable energy sources, **such as** solar and wind power.

Speaking: I enjoy outdoor sports, **such as** football and badminton.

4. Like

Writing Task 2: Many skills, **like** communication and teamwork, are essential in the workplace.

Speaking: I like watching action movies, **like** *Mission: Impossible*.

5. Including

Writing Task 2: The government should improve public services, **including** healthcare and education.

Speaking: I packed everything, **including** my passport and charger.

6. Namely

Writing Task 2: There are two major causes of pollution, **namely** industrial emissions and vehicle exhaust.

Speaking: I have one main hobby, **namely** photography.

7. In particular

Writing Task 2: Governments should support small businesses, **in particular** those in rural areas.

Speaking: I enjoy reading books, **in particular** mystery novels.

8. Especially

Writing Task 2: Regular exercise is beneficial for everyone, **especially** older adults.

Speaking: I love traveling, **especially** to places with beautiful beaches.

9. Particularly

Writing Task 2: Environmental protection is **particularly** important in developing countries.

Speaking: I'm **particularly** interested in learning English.

10. To illustrate

Writing Task 2: To illustrate, countries with better public transport systems often experience less traffic congestion.

Speaking: To illustrate, my hometown has built several new parks over the past few years.

11. A good example is

Writing Task 2: A good example is Singapore, which has an efficient public transportation system.

Speaking: A good example is my older brother, who exercises every day.

12. One clear example is

Writing Task 2: One clear example is Japan, where punctuality is highly valued.

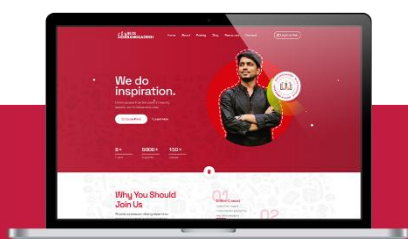
Speaking: One clear example is my friend, who learned English by watching movies.

Best for IELTS Writing Task 2

- For example
- For instance
- Such as
- Including
- Namely
- In particular
- To illustrate
- A good example is
- One clear example is

Best for IELTS Speaking

- For example
- For instance
- Such as
- Like
- Especially
- Particularly
- A good example is



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Summarizing Connectors

1. In conclusion

Writing Task 2: In conclusion, governments should invest more in education because it benefits both individuals and society.

Speaking: In conclusion, I believe traveling is one of the best ways to learn about different cultures.

2. To conclude

Writing Task 2: To conclude, the advantages of public transportation outweigh its disadvantages.

Speaking: To conclude, I think everyone should develop healthy habits.

3. To sum up

Writing Task 2: To sum up, stricter environmental policies are essential for protecting the planet.

Speaking: To sum up, I really enjoyed the event and would love to attend it again.

4. In summary

Writing Task 2: In summary, technology has improved our lives, but it should be used responsibly.

Speaking: In summary, my trip was both enjoyable and educational.

5. Overall

Writing Task 2: Overall, the benefits of online learning are greater than its drawbacks.

Speaking: Overall, I'm satisfied with my current lifestyle.

6. On the whole

Writing Task 2: On the whole, living in a city offers more opportunities despite some disadvantages.

Speaking: On the whole, the movie was entertaining.

7. All in all

Writing Task 2: All in all, governments should prioritize healthcare and education.

Speaking: All in all, I had a fantastic vacation.

8. In brief

Writing Task 2: In brief, reducing pollution requires cooperation between governments and citizens.

Speaking: In brief, the meeting was productive.

9. In short

Writing Task 2: In short, investing in renewable energy is essential for a sustainable future.

Speaking: In short, I learned a lot from the experience.

10. To summarize

Writing Task 2: To summarize, both parents and schools play an important role in children's development.

Speaking: To summarize, I believe hard work is the key to success.



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Best for IELTS Writing Task 2

- In conclusion
- To conclude
- To summarize
- In summary
- Overall
- To sum up

Best for IELTS Speaking

- Overall
- All in all
- In short
- In brief
- To sum up
- In conclusion



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Class Routine

Day	Class-1	Class-2
Day - 01	Linkers	Reading Skills- 1
Day - 02	Sentence	Reading Skills- 2
Day - 03	Suffix - Prefix	Reading Skills- 3
Day - 04	Paraphrase	True, False & Not Given
Day - 05	Writing Vocab & The Four Marking Criteria	Yes / No / Not Given
Day - 06	Listening Part 1	Summary / Note / Table / Flow-chart Completion
Day - 07	Writing Task 1: LINE CHART	Summary / Note / Table / Flow-chart Completion
Day - 08	Listening Part 2	Matching Headings
Day - 09	Writing Task 1: PIE CHART	Matching Information
Day - 10	Listening Part 2	Matching Sentence Endings

Class Routine

Day	Class-1	Class-2
Day - 11	Writing Task 1: BAR CHART	Multiple Choice Questions
Day - 12	Listening Part- 3	Matching Features
Day - 13	Writing Task 1: TABLE CHART	Short-Answer Questions
Day - 14	Listening Part- 3	Diagram Label Completion
Day - 15	Writing Task 1: MIX CHART	Speaking Intro
Day - 16	Listening Part- 4	Part 1 (Liking / Disliking)
Day - 17	Writing Task 1: MAP	Part 1 (Are you good at sth)
Day - 18	Listening Part- 4	Part 1 (Frequency)
Day - 19	Writing Task 1: PROCESS	Part 1 (Preference)
Day - 20	WRITING TASK 2 Types & IDEAS for TASK 2	Part 1 (Popularity)

Class Routine

Day	Class-1	Class-2
Day - 21	WRITING TASK 2 : AGREE & DISAGREE	Part 1 Mock Test
Day - 22	WRITING TASK 2 : POSITIVE & NEGATIVE	Part 2 (Person)
Day - 23	WRITING TASK 2 : OUTWEIGH	Part 2 (Place)
Day - 24	WRITING TASK 2 : BOTH VIEWS	Part 2 (Events)
Day - 25	WRITING TASK 2 : CAUSE & EFFECT	Part 2 (Activities)
Day - 26	WRITING TASK 2 : Double Questions	Part 2 (Things)
Day - 27	WRITING TASK 2 Recent Questions	Part 2 Mock Test
Day - 28	Reading Exam Approach- 1	Part 3 (Different kinds of + Comparison)
Day - 29	Reading Exam Approach- 2	Part 3 (Prediction + advantages & disadvantages)
Day - 30	Reading Exam Approach- 3	Part 3 (Problem, Solution & Opinion)