

Transition Words Worksheet

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Helpful Transition Words

Adding: also, furthermore, moreover, in addition

Sequence: first, next, then, finally

Contrast: however, although, on the other hand, but

Cause & Effect: therefore, because, so, as a result

Examples: for example, for instance, such as

Conclusion: in conclusion, overall, finally

A. Choose the Best Transition Word

Circle the correct answer.

1. I wanted to go outside. _____, it started raining.
a) Therefore b) However c) For example d) Finally
2. Sarah studied hard. _____, she passed the test.
a) As a result b) However c) Meanwhile d) Although
3. There are many ways to stay healthy. _____, you can exercise regularly.
a) However b) For example c) Finally d) Instead
4. _____, wash the vegetables. Next, cut them into small pieces.
a) However b) First c) Therefore d) In conclusion
5. Tom likes soccer. _____, he enjoys playing basketball.
a) Also b) However c) Therefore d) Finally

B. Fill in the Blanks

Choose a suitable transition word from the box.

however | first | therefore | for example | finally | also

6. _____, make sure you have all the ingredients.
7. Mia loves reading. She _____ enjoys writing stories.
8. The road was flooded; _____, we had to take another route.
9. I enjoy many sports. _____, I love tennis and swimming.
10. Jack was tired. _____, he finished his homework.
11. _____, we cleaned the room and put everything away.

C. Identify the Type

Write **A** for Adding, **C** for Contrast, **CE** for Cause & Effect, **S** for Sequence, or **E** for Example.

12. however → _____ 13. furthermore → _____ 14. therefore → _____
15. first → _____ 16. for instance → _____ 17. in addition → _____
18. as a result → _____ 19. finally → _____

D. Combine the Sentences

Use the transition word in brackets to combine each pair.

20. I was hungry. I made a sandwich. (**therefore**)
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21. Emma practiced every day. She improved her skills. (**as a result**)
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22. The movie was long. It was very interesting. (**however**)
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23. We packed our bags. We left for the airport. (**then**)
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24. Liam likes science. He likes mathematics too. (**also**)
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E. Choose the Transition That Makes Sense

25. The weather was extremely cold. _____, we decided to stay indoors.
a) Therefore b) For example c) Similarly
26. I enjoy outdoor activities. _____, I like hiking and cycling.
a) However b) For example c) Therefore
27. Priya finished her homework. _____, she watched television.
a) Next b) However c) Although
28. Ben wanted to buy the shoes. _____, they were too expensive.
a) Therefore b) However c) In addition
29. You should eat a balanced diet. _____, vegetables provide important nutrients.
a) For instance b) However c) Finally

F. Paragraph Practice

Fill in the blanks using appropriate transition words.

first | next | then | finally

30. How to Make a Sandwich

- _____, gather two slices of bread and your favorite ingredients.
_____, spread some butter or sauce on the bread.
_____, add the vegetables and filling.
_____, put the second slice of bread on top and enjoy your sandwich.

G. Fix the Transition

Each sentence contains an incorrect transition word. Replace it with a better one.

31. I forgot my umbrella. **For example**, I got wet in the rain.
Correct transition: _____
32. The test was difficult. **Therefore**, I studied hard before taking it.
Correct transition: _____
33. I love many fruits. **However**, apples and bananas are my favorites.
Correct transition: _____
34. We finished dinner. **For instance**, we washed the dishes.
Correct transition: _____

H. Writing

35. Write **4–5 sentences** about your morning routine. Use at least **three different transition words**.

36. Write a short paragraph explaining **how to prepare for a test**. Use transition words such as **first, next, also, therefore, and finally**.

37. Write one sentence using each type of transition:

- Adding: _____
- Contrast: _____
- Cause & Effect: _____
- Sequence: _____
- Example: _____