

UNIT 6

COMPARISONS AND CONTRAST

An organization structure of text in which a description of similarities and differences among two or more things occurs. In Comparison and contrast text, the students find similarities and differences in what they are reading. The concept of comparing and contrast is by making analogies to synonyms and antonyms, how things are alike and how they are different and identifying similarities and differences.

Comparison and contrast text compares two ideas, events, or phenomena, showing how they are similar and different. There are some words that often signal such a text:

Comparison signal words:

- Either
- Like
- Both
- As well as
- the same
- similarly
- similar to
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- Although

Contrast signal words

- yet
- rather
- unlike
- while
- although
- as opposed to
- different from
- nevertheless