Call to action heuristics

Heuristic principle

Pass / Fail

Notes

Concise

Keep button labels and calls to action to 3 words or less

Positive

Use active language. Start with a verb where possible. Focus on the positive.

Relevant

Give only the information the user needs in order to understand how to move forward

Natural

Use self explanatory, natural language – try to role play the action to see what you'd say to a friend.

