Linking phrase

1. 总分类

- · Agreement / Addition / Similarity
- · Opposition / Limitation / Contradiction
- · Cause / Condition / Purpose
- Examples / Support / Emphasis
- · Effect / Consequence / Result
- · Conclusion / Summary / Restatement
- Time / Chronology / Sequence
- Space / Location / Place



记忆方法:正例,反例,给原因,举例子,给结果,做总结,时间上, 空间上

2. Agreement / Addition / Similarity

2.1. 并列关系and

- · similiarly
- and
- · as well as
- also
- · likewise
- · equally

2.2. 表示另外



I'm capable of doing the work, and a lot more besides

- besides
- · in addition
- · as well
- too
- also
- · on top of that

3. Opposition / Limitation / Contradiction

3.1. 表示虽然发生了某件事



although the sun was shining it wasn't that warm

- although
- · in spite of the fact that
- · even though
- · despite
- · even though

3.2. 表示转折,新的一句话的开头

- · nevertheless
- however
- · in contract
- · on the other hand

4. Cuase / Condition / Propose

4.1. 表示原因



we did it because we felt it our duty

- becuase
- · due to the fact that
- · owing to the fact that
- · in view of the fact that
- since
- as
- · seeing that
- · for the resason that

5. Examples / Support / Emphisis

5.1. 举例

- · for instance
- · for example
- · in particular
- · as an example

5.2. 多个中强调其中之一,普通中强调特别



he despised them all, especially Newyork



I don't particularly want to be reminded of that time

- · especially
- · particularly
- · specifically

5.3. 表示事实上

· in fact

- · in reality
- · in truth
- · in actual fact
- · actually
- truely
- · really
- · as a matter of fact
- · as it happens
- · believe it or not
- · to tell the truth

6. Effect / Consequence / Result

6.1. 因此

- thus
- hence
- so
- · as a result
- therefore

6.2. 结果

- · Consequently
- Accordingly

6.3. 在此基础上

- · in that case
- · under those circumstanses

7. Reference

• http://www.smart-words.org/linking-words/transition-words.html