

LES MOTS DE LIAISON

ADDITION

- also *aussi*
- as well as *ainsi que*
- besides *en outre, d'ailleurs*
- furthermore/moreover/what's more *de plus*
- in addition to *en plus de*
- on top of that *en plus de cela*
- not only... but also *non seulement... mais encore*
- too *aussi*

CAUSE

- as *comme*
- because *parce que*
- because of *à cause de*
- due to *dû à*
- for *car*
- given that *étant donné que*
- owing to *en raison de*
- since *puisque*

COMPARISON

- in comparison *en comparaison*
- in the same way *de la même manière*
- likewise *également*
- similarly *de même*

CONCESSION

- all the same *malgré tout*
- although/though *bien que*
- even though *même si*
- however/still/yet *pourtant*
- instead of *au lieu de*
- in spite of/despite *en dépit de*
- nevertheless/nonetheless *néanmoins*
- yet *pourtant*

CONSEQUENCE

- as a consequence *en conséquence*
- as a result *de ce fait, en conséquence*
- hence *d'où*
- so *donc, par conséquent*
- so that *de sorte que*
- that's why *c'est pourquoi*
- therefore *par conséquent*
- thus *ainsi*

CONTRAST

- by/in contrast *par opposition*
- on the contrary *au contraire*
- on the one hand... on the other hand *d'une part... d'autre part*
- otherwise *sinon*
- whereas *alors que*
- while *tandis que*

REPHRASING

- as a matter of fact *en fait*
- as follows *comme suit*
- by the way *à propos*
- for example/for instance/e.g. *par exemple*
- in any case *en tout cas*
- in fact *en fait*
- in other words *en d'autres termes*
- in that case *dans ce cas-là*
- in the same way *de la même manière*
- indeed *en effet*
- namely *à savoir*
- say *disons*
- such as *tel(les) que*

TIME

- as *au moment où*
- as soon as *dès que*
- for *depuis*
- hardly... when *à peine... que*
- in the first place *en premier lieu*
- in the meantime/meanwhile *pendant ce temps-là*
- last but not least *enfin et surtout*
- next *ensuite*
- no sooner... than *à peine... que*
- once *une fois que*
- since *depuis que*
- till/until *jusqu'à ce que*
- then *puis, ensuite*
- when *quand*
- while *pendant*