

Claim Sentence Starters	Evidence Sentence Starters	Reason Sentence Starters
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ My claim is ...</li> <li>➤ I claim that ...</li> <li>➤ The main point I want to make is ...</li> <li>➤ My view is ...</li> <li>➤ I think ...</li> <li>➤ It's clear that ...</li> <li>➤ Based on what I know ...</li> <li>➤ My opinion is ...</li> <li>➤ I propose ...</li> <li>➤ The claim I am making is ...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ The text states ...</li> <li>➤ According to the reading ...</li> <li>➤ The data shows ...</li> <li>➤ The graph illustrates ...</li> <li>➤ The author says ...</li> <li>➤ The quote that supports this is ...</li> <li>➤ My observation reveals ...</li> <li>➤ The example I found in the text is ...</li> <li>➤ The following piece of information supports my claim ...</li> <li>➤ To back up this view ...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ This means ...</li> <li>➤ Therefore ...</li> <li>➤ As a result ...</li> <li>➤ So ...</li> <li>➤ To explain ...</li> <li>➤ This shows ...</li> <li>➤ It highlights ...</li> <li>➤ This underscores ...</li> <li>➤ The implication is ...</li> <li>➤ Consequently ...</li> <li>➤ This makes sense because ...</li> <li>➤ The main reason for this is ...</li> <li>➤ To connect this back to my claim ...</li> <li>➤ My reasoning is ...</li> <li>➤ Here's why ...</li> </ul>