

Transitions are wordsthat link the information in an essay. (Organization)

Sometimes we need a transitional phrase to link an idea in one paragraph to the next.
Meaning the last sentence HOOKS us into the next paragraph.

TRANSITIONS AND LINKING WORDS				
1. Words that can be used to show location:				
above	away from	beyond	into	over
across	behind	by	near	throughout
against	below	down	off	to the right
along	beneath	in back of	onto	under
among	beside	in front of	on top of	
around	between	inside	outside	
2. Words that can be used to show time:				
about	first	meanwhile	soon	then
after	second	today	later	next
at	third	tomorrow	afterward	as soon as
before	till	next week	immediately	when
during	until	yesterday	finally	
3. Words that can be used to compare items or show similarities:				
in the same way	like wise	as		
similarly	like	also		
4. Words that can be used to contrast items or show differences:				
but	otherwise	although	on the other hand	
however	yet	still	even though	
5. Words that can be used to emphasize a point:				
again	for this reason	truly		
to repeat	to emphasize	in fact		
6. Words that can be used to conclude or summarize:				
as a result	finally	in conclusion	to sum up	
therefore	last	in summary	all in all	
7. Words that can be used to add information:				
again	another	for instance	finally	
also	and	moreover	as well	
additionally	besides	next	along with	
in addition	for example	likewise	equally important	
8. Words that can be used to clarify:				
in other words	for instance	that is	put another way	