



Writing Practice With Compare-Contrast Structure

SIGNAL WORDS FOR COMPARE-CONTRAST TEXT STRUCTURE

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| although | but | if . . . then | same as |
| as opposed to | conversely | in contrast | similar to |
| as well as | different from, differ | in fact | whereas |
| alike | Either/or | instead of | while |
| also | for example | not only . . . but also | yet |
| both | however | on the other hand | |

Sample frame for writing using a compare-contrast structure:

_____ and _____ are similar, but also different in several ways. First, they are both _____, as well as _____.

Also, they both _____.

Although they are alike, they are also different in some ways. For example, _____, while _____ . Another way they are different is _____.

My conclusion is that they are more (different or similar) because _____.



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