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## Remembering and Visualizing

### Interpreting Process



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## Predicting

- Who
- Where
- Why
- Words
- Concepts

## Listening

- Extensive Listening
  - Context
  - Main Ideas
- Intensive Listening
  - Details
  - Sequence




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## Discourse Markers in English

Discourse markers are words and phrases used in speaking and writing to 'signpost' discourse.

Discourse markers do this by showing turns, joining ideas together, showing attitude, and generally controlling communication.

In speech, words like 'actually', 'so', 'OK', 'right?' and 'anyway' all function as discourse markers as they help the speaker to manage the conversation and mark when it changes.

Discourse markers are an important feature of spoken and written language. The skilful use of discourse markers often indicates a higher level of fluency.

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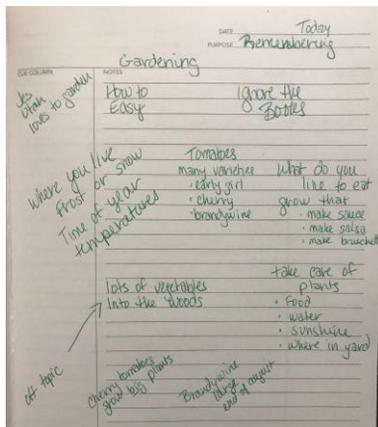
Arguments	Counter Arguments	Sequencing	Concluding
Many people believe...	Others might argue...	In the first place...	Naturally...
For example...	Nevertheless...	To begin with...	Therefore...
Further more...	On the contrary...	Secondly...	Subsequently...
Likewise...	However...	Lastly...	Admittedly...

Emphasis	Illustration	Contrast	Evidence
Above all...	For example...	But...	Obviously...
Especially...	For instance...	Although...	We can see that...
Clearly...	Such as...	Unless...	This is true because...
Particularly...	According to...	Rather...	Notice...

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# Remembering

## Step 1



View/listen to the text, paying attention to the text to comprehend the message.

Next, in a random manner, write down what you remember about the text. Chunk information around the page, visually, not in a linear fashion.

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