Conectores y expresiones útiles para hacer una redacción

Uso	Conectores y expresiones	Ejemplos
Para indicar una **secuencia** o **enumerar** puntos en una argumentación	***first / firstly,...*** en primer lugar ***secondly / thirdly,...*** en segundo, tercer lugar ***next / then...*** acto seguido, después ***at that moment,...*** en ese momento ***meanwhile,...*** mientras tanto ***later / after that/ afterwards,...*** después ***in the end / finally / eventually,...*** finalmente	**First,** my brother and I went shopping. **After that,** we went to the cinema. **Later,** we met Susan and had something to eat. **Eventually,** we went home.
Para describe una **causa** o **motivo**	***because of*** + sustantivo a causa de ***due to*** + sustantivo debido a ***because*** + proposición porque ***since*** + proposición ya que, pues ***as*** + proposición porque, ya que	All flights were cancelled **due to** bad weather. **As / Since / Because** it was too dark to go on, the decided to camp there.
Para expresar **opiniones**	***in my opinion / to my mind,...*** en mi opinión ***in my view,...*** desde mi punto de vista ***as far as I am concerned,...*** en lo que a mí respecta ***I think / believe / feel that...*** pienso, creo que ***it seems to me (that)...*** me parece que ***personally,...*** personalmente ***it is clear that...*** está claro que ***I am against...*** estoy en contra ***I (don't) agree with...*** (no) estoy de acuerdo con ***to be honest,...*** para ser sincero ***undoubtedly,...*** indudablemente	**As far as I am concerned**, money is the cause of all suffering. **I believe** that a good education is essential for our students. All I can say is that, **in my view,** we are a long way from that goal. **Undoubtedly**, many families are victims of bad housing.
Para **añadir** información	***in addition / furthermore / moreover,...*** además ***besides / as well...*** además ***also*** (+ verbo) también ***too*** (al final de la oración) también	I didn't want to go shopping. **Besides**, I had no money left. It was a lovely day but rather[1] sad **too**.
Para indicar un **propósito**	***for*** + sustantivo / gerundio para ***to*** + infinitivo para ***in order (not) to*** + infinitivo para ***so as (not) to*** + infinitivo para ***so that*** + proposición para que	It is **for** this purpose that our association exists. They came **to** protect us. She left her gun outside **so as not to** frighten us.

Para **contrastar** información	***but...*** pero ***however / yet / still / nevertheless,...*** sin embargo ***although / (even) though...*** aunque ***on the contrary / in contrast,...*** por el contrario ***on the one hand,... on the other hand,...*** por una parte, por otra parte ***whereas / while...*** mientras ***in spite of / despite*** + sustantivo / gerundio a pesar de	**Although** it rained a lot, they enjoyed their holiday. She eats meat, **while** her husband is vegetarian. **In spite of** feeling tired, they decided to go out. He is quite athletic **in spite of** his age.
Para describir **semejanza**	***similarly / in the same way / likewise,...*** asimismo, del mismo modo ***both...and*** tanto... como	I don't know what they mean. **Likewise**, I don not understand where they want to get to
Para describir un **resultado**	***so / thus...*** (formal) así pues ***therefore,...*** por lo tanto ***as a result / as a consequence,...*** por consiguiente ***for this reason,...*** por esta razón	He failed his exams, **so** he had to take them again. The harvest[2] was bad and coffee prices are high **as a result**.
Para describir una **realidad**	***in fact / as a matter of fact,...*** de hecho ***actually...*** en realidad	**As a matter of fact**, I did not sleep at all.
Para hacer **generaliza-ciones**	***in general / generally,...*** en general ***as a (general) rule,...*** por regla general	**As a general rule**, we don't allow it.
Para dar **ejemplos**	***for example / for instance,...*** por ejemplo ***such as / like...*** tal(es) como, como ***particularly / in particular,...*** concretamente	He likes travelling to countries **such as** France, Germany or Italy.
Para **concluir**	***in conclusion,...*** en conclusión, para concluir finally,... finalmente in short / to sum up,... resumiendo	**In conclusion**, we point out[3] that there is a very varied bibliography on this topic.

[1]but rather: sino más bien
[2]harvest: cosecha
[3]point out: señalar