

## Common Core Standards - Resource Page

The resources below have been created to assist teachers' understanding and to aid instruction of this standard.

College and Career Readiness (CCR) Anchor Standard	Standard: W.4.2c - Link ideas within categories of information using words and phrases (e.g., another, for example, also, because).
<p>W.CCR.2 Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.</p>	<p><u>Questions to Focus Learning</u></p> <p>What are linking words and phrases? Why do writers use linking words and phrases to connect ideas and information in their writing?</p> <p>Linking words and phrases show connections between ideas and information. In informative text, linking words and phrases show the relationships within categories of information.</p> <p><u>Student Friendly Objectives</u></p> <p><i>Knowledge Targets</i></p> <p>I know grade appropriate linking words.            I know grade appropriate linking phrases.            I know categories of information as related to the topic.</p> <p><i>Reasoning Targets</i></p> <p>I can determine the relationships of ideas within a category.            I can choose grade appropriate words and phrases that effectively link ideas.</p> <p><u>Vocabulary</u></p> <p>categories            linking phrases            linking words</p>

Teacher Tips

[ELA - Language and Writing Crosswalk - Fourth Grade](#)—This CCSD document shows an example of how the writing and language standards might be integrated during instruction.

Vertical Progression

W.K.2 - Use a combination of drawing, dictating, and writing to compose informative/explanatory texts in which they name what they are writing about and supply some information about the topic.

W.3.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.

W.5.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas and information clearly.

W.6.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.

W.7.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.

W.8.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine a topic and convey ideas, concepts, and information through the selection, organization, and analysis of relevant content.

W.9-10.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

W.11-12.2 - Write informative/explanatory texts to examine and convey complex ideas, concepts, and information clearly and accurately through the effective selection, organization, and analysis of content.

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Direct link for this standard: [W.4.2c](#)