

## 1. Connectives to indicate order:

English	German	Examples
to begin with		
next		
first		
secondly		
on second		
thoughts		
finally		
in conclusion		
above all		
in spite of all		

## 2. Connectives to add something / ideas:

English	German	Examples
moreover		
further,		
furthermore		
and		
also		
likewise		
similarly		
equally		
too		
in the same		
manner,		
in the same way		
besides		
again		
in addition		
little by little		

## 3. Connectives to reformulate something:

English	German	Examples
in other words		
that means		
that is to say		
a better way of		
putting it is		
it would be		

better  
to say

#### 4. Connectives to infer from something:

English	German	Examples
		in other words in that case otherwise this implies frankly speaking

#### 5. Connectives to refer to something:

English	German	Examples
		with regard to referring to with reference to as to, as for the latter the former

#### 6. Connectives to compare things / ideas:

English	German	Examples
		likewise both whereas the former (latter) but while the first (the second) similarly as ... as equally as well

#### 7. Connectives to express reason and purpose:

English	German	Examples
		therefore

that is why  
for this (that)  
reason  
hence  
because  
so  
since  
as  
because of  
on account of  
so that            so daß  
consequently

#### 8. Connectives to express a consequence or conclusion:

English	German	Examples
hence		
consequently		
thus		
accordingly		
as a result		
it follows that	daraus folgt	

#### 9. Connectives to express concession:

English	German	Examples
though,		
although		
even if		
even though		
besides		
anyhow,		
anyway		
in any case		
at any rate		

#### 10. Connectives to express condition:

English	German	Examples
if		
unless		
suppose that		
in case that		

provides that  
on the condition  
that

## 11. Connectives to express place and space:

English	German	Examples
on the right (left)		
to the right (left)		
nearby		
between	zwischen	
among		
there		
here		
where		
in the distance		
straight ahead		
beside		
on the spot		
in the front		
in front of		
in the back		
in the middle		

## 12. Connectives to express time:

English	German	Examples
when	wenn, wann, als	
after		
before		
while		
now		
since		
as long as		
as soon as		
no sooner than		
subsequently		
as time goes on		
eventually	schließlich	
initially		
previously		

recently  
 momentarily  
 at the same time  
 meanwhile  
 lately  
 in the end  
 at last  
 at the moment  
 in a moment  
 day in – day out Tag ein, Tag aus  
 off and on  
 from now on  
 for the first time zum ersten Mal  
 more than once  
 time and again  
 many a time  
 often  
 afterwards  
 at length

### 13. Connectives to express an opposing or limiting statement:

English	German	Examples
but	aber; außer	
however	jedoch	
nevertheless		
otherwise		
on the other hand		
on the contrary		
yet		
still		
maybe		
perhaps		
instead		
except for		
in spite of, despite, in spite of the fact	trotz (der Tats.)	
nonetheless		
apart from		