



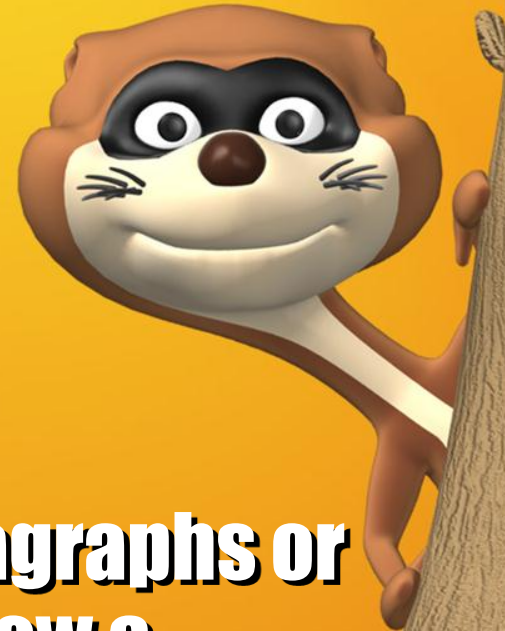
# *Connectives*

***L.O.: To be able to link ideas  
using connectives in my writing.***

# *What are 'connectives'?*

**Connectives help to link your:**

- **Ideas**
- **Sentences**
- **Paragraphs**



**Connectives are used between paragraphs or between sentences in order to show a connection between one part of your writing and another.**

### To add to a point

And  
Also  
Furthermore  
In addition  
Too  
Again  
What is more  
Moreover  
As well as

### To Persuade

Surely...  
Obviously  
Naturally  
Clearly  
Certainly  
evidently

### To express

#### Cause and Effect

Consequently  
Therefore  
As a result  
Because/as  
Accordingly  
Since  
Until  
Whenever  
As long as  
So

# *Examples of Connectives*

### To emphasise

In particular  
Notably  
More importantly  
Indeed  
In fact  
specifically



### To Express Time

Subsequently  
Firstly / secondly  
Next / then  
Once  
At length  
Eventually  
Meanwhile  
So far

# *Final Note*

- If used appropriately in your writing-you can help the reader of your work move smoothly from one point to the next.
- **Look at your reading book - what examples of connectives can you see?**
- How are they used?
- **Can you use them in a sentence or discussion with confidence?**
- Ask your teacher if you are stuck!

