

# COMPARING IDEAS | **Sentence Frames**

Communicate if the details are the same, similar, or different.



*instead*  
*rather*  
*yet*  
*but*  
*unlike*  
*except*  
*not*  
*however*  
*although*  
*is different*  
*in contrast*  
*the opposite*  
*conversely*  
*on the other hand*  
*on the contrary*



*both have (do, are)*  
*alike*  
*same as*  
*as well as*  
*also*  
*both*  
*identically*  
*likewise*  
*together*  
*in addition*



*are similar*  
*slightly*  
*slightly different*  
*close*  
*mostly*  
*similarly*  
*in general*  
*for the most part*  
*typically*  
*ordinarily*  
*usually*

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Follow each same, different, or similar detail with an explanation of *why* or *how*.

*because...*  
*in that...*

*for the reason...*  
*by reason of...*

*as the result of...*  
*due to...*

*considering...*  
*in as much as...*