

# Language aid: enumeration

## Discourse Markers for Enumerating: Group A

Adverbial Connectives	
First, ...	Last, ...
Second, ...	Finally, ...
Third, ...	

We can write sentences of enumeration using the adverbial connectives in Group A.

Successful students have several characteristics. **First**, they have motivation. **Second**, they have self-discipline. **Last**, they are well organized.

## Discourse Markers for Enumerating: Group B

Determiners		Pronouns	
The first [reason]	One [reason]	The first is...	One is...
The second [reason]	Another [reason] A further [reason]	The second is...	Another is...
The third [reason]	A third [reason]	The third is...	A third is...
The { last final } [reason]		The last is...	

The sentences of enumeration for can be rewritten using discourse markers from Group B.

### Pronoun

A successful student has several characteristics. **The first** is motivation; **the second** is self-discipline; **the third** is organization.

### Determiner/Pronoun

A successful student has several characteristics. **One characteristic** is motivation; **another** is self-discipline; **the last characteristic** is organization.