Y5 Science sentence starters

Language of explanation

Because of... ...happened.

For example...

In conclusion...

To begin with...

As a result of... The reason(s) for...

Language of deduction



The fact is...

In effect...

Given that...then...

I deduce/deduct...

I have worked out...

In conclusion...

Language of evaluation

My view is that...because...

This view is supported by the fact that...

In my opinion...furthermore...

Possible improvements include...



Language of hypothesis

It is true that...

Can we prove that...

In conclusion...

I would like to prove/disprove...

Perhaps the reason is...



Language of prediction

I predict...that...because... however...

Due to the fact that...

As a result of...this will happen... because...

Because... and... are similar, I predict that... will happen.

The outcome will be...due to...

Based on... I predict that...

After hearing the evidence, I think that...will happen.

...has happened, therefore I think...









Useful science vocabulary

types of scientific enquiry questions similarities /differences answers

changes equipment increase gather decrease measure identify record classify results

evidence sort

present data/evidence/ group

results order keys observe

classification keys changes over time

bar charts notice patterns

scatter graphs link line graphs secondary sources

table opinion/fact results comparative tests

conclusions fair tests

causal relationships variables

prediction careful

support/refute accurate/accuracy thermometers precision data loggers degree of trust magnifying glass

observations

microscope