



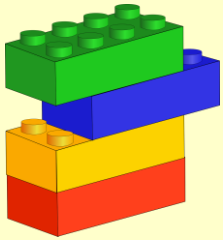
STARTING OFF a DEBATE

I think...
In my opinion...
I believe...



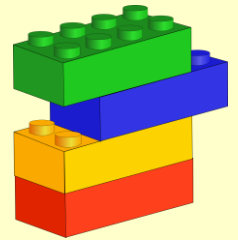
AGREEING

I agree with _____ because...
You have persuaded me because...
Following on from _____'s point...



BUILDING ON a POINT

I would like to add...
Linking to _____'s idea...
Adding to what _____ said...



JUSTIFYING

I know this because...
I would like to explain...
I know someone that...



DISAGREEING (POLITELY)

I can see your point but...
I disagree with _____ because...
That's a valid point, but have you thought about...



IN THE MIDDLE

I haven't decided because...
I can see both sides of this argument because...
I am feeling unsure about this because...



QUESTIONING

Have you thought about...?
Did you know that...?
I wonder if...?

