



POWER VERBS!

These verbs are for Academic Discourse

Using the following words along with your insightful ideas and vocabulary words, will spice up your writing and allow others to see your writing shine like the professionals!

A	B
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Accentuates 2. Accepts 3. Achieves 4. Adopts 5. Advocates 6. Affects 7. Alleviates 8. Allows 9. Alludes 10. Analyzes 11. Approaches 12. Argues 13. Ascertains 14. Asserts 15. Assesses 16. Assumes 17. Attacks 18. Attempts 19. Avoids 20. Alters 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bases 2. Believes 3. Belies 4. Blasts 5. Begins 6. Bests

C	D
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Challenges 2.Changes 3.Characterizes 4.Chooses 5.Chronicles 6.Claims 7.Comments 8.Comments 9.Compares 10.Completes 11.Concerns 12.Concludes 13.Condescends 14. Conducts 15. Conforms 16.Confronts 17. Considers 18. Contends 19. Contests 20.Conveys 21.Creates 22.Conjures 23.Connotes 24.Clarifies 25.Construes 26. Constrains 27. Clears up 28. Commiserates 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Depicts 2.Differentiates 3.Delineates 4.Dispels 5.Demonstrates 6.Describes 7. Defends 8. Defines 9.Defies 10. Denigrates 11.Details 12.Determines 13. Develops 14.Deviates 15.Differs 16.Directs 17.Disappoints 18.Discovers 19.Discusses 20.Displays 21. Disputes 22.Disrupts 23.Distinguishes 24.Distorts 25.Distorts 26.Downplays 27.Dramatizes 28.Discontinues

E	F
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Elevates 2.Elicits 3.Empathizes 4.Encounters 5.Extrapolates 6.Enriches 7.Enriches 8.Enumerates 9.Envisions 10.Evokes 11. Expands 12. Experiences 13. Explains 14. Expresses 15. Extends 16. Extrapolates 17.Explains 18. Enunciates 19. Emphasizes 20. Elucidates 21. Enhances 22.Explores 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Fertishizes 2.Fantasizes 3.Focuses 4.Forces 5.Foreshadows 6.Functions 7.Follows

G	H
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Generalizes 2.Guides 3. Gives 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Hints 2.Heigtens 3.Highlights 4.Holds 5.Honors

I	J
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Identifies 2.Illustrates 3.Imagines 4.Impels 5.Implies 6.Includes 7.Indicates 8.Infers 9.Inspires 10.Intends 11. Interprets 12.Interrupts 13. Inundates 14.Ignites 15.Invokes 16.Illuminates 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Jokes 2. Jabs 3. Japes