

Cohesion Classroom Poster + Mini Rubric

Cohesion Poster (Classroom Use)

Cohesive Devices are the hidden threads that connect sentences and ideas. They include reference, substitution, ellipsis, and conjunction. Using them correctly helps create clarity, unity, and logical flow in writing and speaking.

Key Cohesion Signals

- Reference: he, she, it, this, that, these, those
- Substitution: one, ones, do so
- Ellipsis: (leaving out words when the meaning is clear)
- Conjunction: and, but, because, although, however, therefore

Mini Rubric for Evaluating Cohesion in Writing

Criteria	Descriptor
Use of Cohesive Devices	Effective use of reference, substitution, ellipsis, and conjunction.
Clarity of Connections	Sentences and ideas are logically connected and easy to follow.
Variety	Different types of cohesive devices are used, not just conjunctions.
Accuracy	Devices are used in appropriate places without overuse or misuse.