Clarifying	Clarifying
Could you repeat your claim?	Could you repeat your claim?
Is it your position that?	Is it your position that?
To be clear, you're saying that?	To be clear, you're saying that?
I'm confused when you say Can you elaborate?	I'm confused when you say Can you elaborate?
Paraphrasing	Paraphrasing
Put another way, you're saying that	Put another way, you're saying that
So you're saying that	So you're saying that
Is it fair to say that you believe?	Is it fair to say that you believe?
I hear you saying that	I hear you saying that
Agreeing	Agreeing
I agree with because	I agree with because
(The speaker's) point about (the subject) was important because	(The speaker's) point about (the subject) was important because
The evidence for ( <u>claim</u> ) is convincing when you consider that	The evidence for ( <u>claim</u> ) is convincing when you consider that
The position that ( <u>summary of claim</u> ) is correct because	The position that ( <u>summary of claim</u> ) is correct because
Disagreeing	Disagreeing
I see it differently because	I see it differently because
I understand your position, but consider	I understand your position, but consider
The evidence points to a different conclusion	The evidence points to a different conclusion
My understanding of the evidence says otherwise	My understanding of the evidence says otherwise
Summarizing	Summarizing
Overall, what I'm trying to say is	Overall, what I'm trying to say is
My whole point in one sentences is	My whole point in one sentences is
More than anything else, I believe that	More than anything else, I believe that
Ultimately, my point is	Ultimately, my point is
Building On	Building On
Yes, and furthermore	Yes, and furthermore
The author's claim that is interesting because	The author's claim that is interesting because
Adding to what said	Adding to what said
To build on what said,	To build on what said,
Introducing Implications	Introducing Implications
One implication of the claim is	One implication of the claim is
It can be reasonably implied that	It can be reasonably implied that
The implications of (claim) include	The implications of ( <u>claim</u> ) include
Among the most significant implications are	Among the most significant implications are
Could you repeat your claim?	Could you repeat your claim?