**Academic Language Toolkit**

The following are words that will equip middle and high school English learners to advance them in reading, writing, and discussion across all secondary content areas.

**9th grade list**

acquire

adapt

adjust

affect

alter

alternative

approximately

aspect

attain

bias

biased

capable

circumstance

claim

clarify

communicate

communication

compatible

complex

compromise

conflict

consume

controversial

cooperate

correspond

crisis

c

critical

crucial

current

deny

distinguish

diverse

diversity

element

eliminate

enable

exclude

expand

factual

feature

focus

function

fundamental

generalization

imply

infer

inference

influence

integrate

interpret

interpretation

investigate

maintain

modify

obtain

occur

opponent

oppose

opposition

option

organization

organize

participate

pattern

perceive

perception

permit

phase

potential

preparation

present

primary

principle

prior

process

promote

rational

regular

reg

regulation

resolution

resolve

responsibility

role

sequence

series

solution

solve

statement

strategy

substitute

sufficient

summarize

summary

symbol

symbolize

transition

trend

value

version

viewpoint

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**8th grade list**

accurate

adequate

advantage

analysis

analyze

appropriate

argue

argument

assume

assumption

aware

beneficial

benefit

cause (noun)

cause (verb)

challenge

challenging

character

characteristic

compare

comparison

conclude

conclusion

consequence

consequently

consider

contrast

contribute

contribution

convince

convincing

define

demonstrate

demonstration

describe

description

develop

development

elaborate

emphasis

emphasize

essential

evidence

expert

expertise

explain

explanation

factor

identify

identity

impact

include

including

indicate

indication

introduce

introduction

issue

justify

locate

logical

maximum

minimum

objective

objectively

opinion

perspective

persuade

persuasion

precede

predict

prediction

previous

previously

prioritize

priority

produce

product

react

reaction

relevance

relevant

require

requirement

respond

response

review

revise

select

selection

significance

significant

similar

similarity

subjective

tradition

unique

valid

variety

vary