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Linking Logic

Directions: Below are four short passages. Each passage is missing key transition words. Choose the most appropriate transition from the provided **Word Bank** and write it in the blank. Be sure the sentences flow logically.

however	because	on the other hand
furthermore	as a result	finally
next	first	
in conclusion	for instance	

Passage 1 - School Projects

_____, students gathered supplies for their science fair projects. They tested their ideas and recorded results. _____, they presented their findings on posters. _____, the judges awarded prizes to the most creative projects.

Passage 2 - Healthy Choices

Fruits and vegetables are important for your diet. _____, they provide vitamins that your body needs. Junk food tastes good. _____, it can cause health problems if eaten too often. We should eat more balanced meals, _____ our health depends on it.

Passage 3 - Weather Changes

The morning was sunny. _____, by afternoon the clouds rolled in. The soccer game was canceled, _____ the field was too wet. Some students were disappointed. _____, others were glad to go home early.

Passage 4 - Wrapping It Up

Good writing uses strong transitions. They help ideas flow smoothly. _____, using transitions makes paragraphs easier to read.