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so...  
because...  
next... afraid...  
exciting... lonely...  
first... interesting...

beautiful... awful...  
enormous... worst... fierce...  
adventure... accident... magic...

gigantic... weird... freezing... shelter...  
quietly... silently... bravely... happiness...  
joy... sadness... fear... baggage... companion...

thunderous... fearful... marvelous... attractive...  
generously... echo... nervously... worriedly... patiently...  
feelings... courage... experience... peak... patience...  
wasteland... container... furnishings... robe...

Sensitively... timidly... aggressively, imaginatively...  
unfortunate... murderous... echoing... doubtful... emotion... anxiety...  
longing... progress (noun)... system... communication... ingredient...  
vibration... prefer... nourish... demonstrate... enjoy... leap...

outstanding/ly... tender/ly... biological/ly... formidable... outspoken...  
stern... comical... pathetic... yearning... dine... progress (verb)...  
create... adore... forbidding... speculation... silhouette... terrain...  
apparel... vision... atmosphere...

# Vocabulary

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...and...

...but... ...so...

...then... ...when...

...because...

...after... ...while... ...as well as...

...if... ...although... ...however... ...also...

...besides... ...even though... ...never the less...

...in addition to... ...contrary to...

...despite... ...so as to...

I can use a range of sophisticated ways of connecting thoughts, ideas, phrases and sentences.

**Connectives**



The...

My... I...

First... Then... So...  
Next... Last... If... But...  
Another thing... Soon...  
At last... Another time... After...  
Because... The last time...

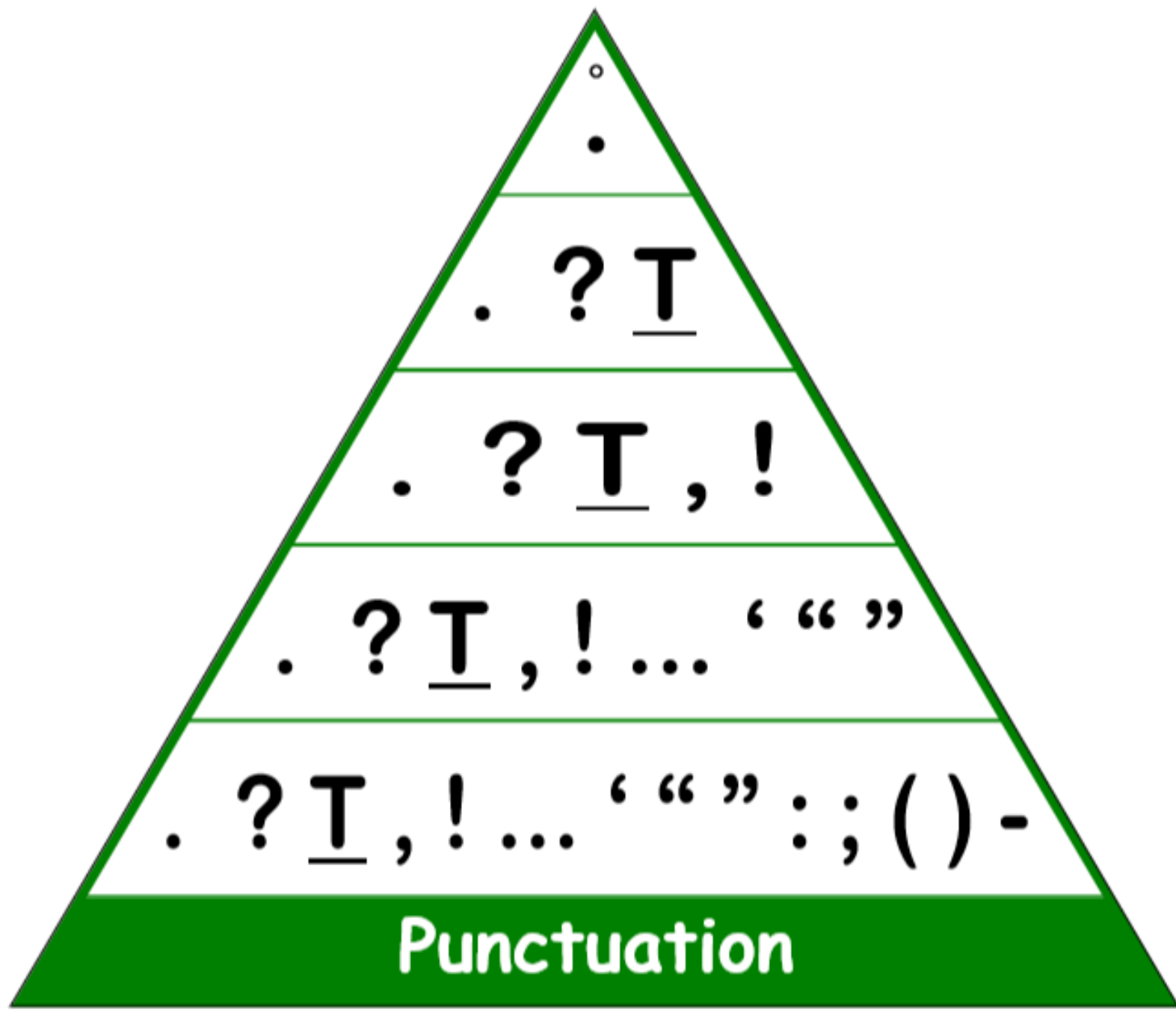
Another thing... After a while...  
Although... Afterwards... Before...  
Eventually... Sometimes... Often...

Never... Always... Besides... Even though... Before the/they...  
Meanwhile... Before very long... However... In addition... Despite...  
An important thing... We always... If/then... Due to... Although I had...  
I discovered... Having decided... I actually... I felt as... As time went...  
Use of adjectives e.g. The golden sun, The grumpy old man etc.

Having...

I can open with a wide range of sophisticated strategies.

# Openers



I

- 'ing' verb: Lying on the sofa, he tried to remember some of those old emergencies.

S

- subordinate clause: If you were Marv Hammerman, you didn't need a reason.

P

- preposition: Inside the building, the boy was still running

A

- adverb: Abruptly, he turned his head toward the sofa.

C

- connective: Meanwhile, Gus and Gloria were in the playground watching.

E

- 'ed' verb: Blinded by the light of the sun, they emerged through the door.

D

- dialogue: 'I haven't got anything,' he called, 'so quit looking at me!'

**I****S****P****A****C****E**

Ing words		Similes	Prepositions		Adverbs		Conjunctions	Ed words
Walking	Shivering	Like a mouse	Over	On top of	Hastily	Quickly	First	Excited
Skipping	Screaming	Like a cheetah	Above	On	Calmly	Slowly	Later on	Delighted
Running	Growling	Like a statue	Beneath	Underneath	Casually	Gently	Suddenly	Pleased
Crawling	Shouting	Like a tree	Below	Under	Cautiously	Shyly	Immediately	Amazed
Creeping	Gasping	Like a predator	Through	Between	Softly	Nervously	Finally	Astonished
Jumping	Whispering	Like a monster	Inside	Beside	Neatly	Messily	After that	Shocked
Leaping	Yelling	Like a villain	By	Across	Angrily	Busily	Before long	Scared
Escaping	Talking	As quiet as a	Before	After	Spitefully	Loudly	Since	Puzzled
Bursting	Moaning	As loud as a	During	At	Ominously	Honestly	Whereas	Dazed
Grasping	Whimpering	As still as a	In	Off	Foolishly	Crazily	As	Surprised
Grabbing	Thinking	As fast as a	By	To	Moodily	Readily	Next	Worried
Seizing		As timid as a	About		Amazingly		Whenever	Petrified
Clutching		As bright as a			Expectantly		Despite	Horrorified
Picking		As slowly as a			Generously		Until	Exhausted
Shaking		As noisy as a			Chaotically		So	
Hiding		As calmly as a			Unexpectedly		Eventually	
Sleeping		As angry as a			Intelligently			