

Struggling with **WORD LIMIT** in  
**TEF/TCF Canada** or **DELFDALF**  
writing?

Here's a **SMART TRICK** most  
candidates never use.

**Logical connectors!!!**

ESSENTIAL TIPS  
AND TRICKS



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**Yes, connectors are not just for coherence.**

They are one of the best ways to **increase or reduce your word count** without changing your ideas.  
And examiners love them.

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In **TEF Canada, TCF Canada, DELF and DALF** writing tasks, you are evaluated on:

- organisation
- clarity of ideas
- logical progression
- linguistic control

**Connectors** directly affect all of this.

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Same idea.

Same sentence structure.

Different connectors.

Different word count.

That's where you **PLAY**

**SMART.**

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## **CASE 1 : When you're BELOW the word limit**

**Use longer, structured connectors.**

### **Examples:**

- En ce qui concerne
- D'une part... d'autre part
- Dans une certaine mesure
- Il convient de souligner que
- Force est de constater que

**You add words without adding useless content.**

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**Par exemple,**

**Short version:**

De plus, le télétravail améliore la productivité.

**Longer version:**

De plus, il convient de souligner que le télétravail améliore considérablement la productivité.

**Same idea.**

**Better score potential.**

**Higher word count.**

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## **CASE 2: When you are ABOVE the word limit**

Switch to **short, compact connectors**, such as:

- De plus
- Donc
- Ainsi
- Or
- Car

**You save words instantly without deleting ideas.**

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**Par exemple,**

**Long version:**

*Par conséquent, on peut affirmer que cette mesure présente certaines limites.*

**Shorter version:**

*Donc, cette mesure présente des limites.*

**Clear. Correct. Examiner-friendly.**



## TEF/TCF Canada specific tip

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In TEF/TCF Canada, verbosity is not rewarded. **CLARITY is.**

That means:

- B2 level connectors
- No unnecessary **REPETITION**
- **LOGICAL FLOW** over fancy language

**Connectors** help you control this **BALANCE.**

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## DELF B2 and DALF C1 tip

At higher levels, variety matters.

Mix:

- short connectors for **RHYTHM**
- longer connectors for **STRUCTURE**

This shows **LINGUISTIC MATURITY** instead of memorised templates.

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## Secret exam strategy

If you are missing **20-30 words**, do NOT add a new argument.

Just:

- expand 2 connectors
- slightly extend 1 justification

This is **safer, faster**, and **keeps coherence INTACT**.

**SAVE** this post. This is **GOLD** for your exam day.

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If you actually want to **write better** for **TEF Canada, TCF Canada, DELF or DALF**, with real exam structure and not scattered tips from the internet, this is exactly what we work on at **LingoRelic Language Academy.**

**Structured** preparation.

Clear exam **strategy.**

**Writing** that scores, not just sounds good.

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