

Sentence Starters for Citing Evidence:

- According to <text title>, “<quotation>.”
- On page <page number>/In paragraph <paragraph number> of <text title>, it says, “<quotation>.”
- This idea is supported by <author’s name>, when he/she says, “<quotation>.”
- For example, on page <page number> of <text title>, it says, “<quotation>.”
- This is seen in <text title> when it says, “<quotation>.”
- For instance, in the article <article title>, it states, “<quotation>.”

Sentence Starters for Explaining Evidence:

- This evidence proves <claim> because...
- This quote is important because...
- This illustrates/shows...
- Based on this statement “<quote>,” one can conclude/infer that...
- The statement “<quote>” supports the position because...
- From this, one can see/conclude/infer...
- Therefore, this quote reveals...