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**CLASS DISCUSSION SENTENCE STARTERS**

**AGREEING**

\*I agree with Y because…

\*Z’s point about X was important because…

\*The evidence for Z is strong when you consider that…

\*X and I are coming from the same position.

\*Despite disagreeing about Y, I agree with Z that…

**DISAGREEING**

\*I see it differently because…

\*I respectfully disagree with x because…

\*The evidence I’ve seen suggests something different…

\*I agree that Y, but we also have to consider that…

\*We see Z differently because…

**BUILDING ON**

\*Y mentioned that…

\*Yes–and furthermore…

\*Adding to what X said,…

\*I’d like to build on the point that x was making…

**SUMMARIZING**

\*Overall, what I’m trying to say is…

\*To summarize, my point is…

\*More than anything else, my claim is that…

**EVIDENCE**

\*The evidence to support y is on page 56, “…

\*The author states in Chapter 7, “…

\*My answer is supported by information in paragraph 9, which explains…