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| **Speaking Like an Intellectual** |
| **To Show Agreement**I agree with your argument because…I would like to add…I also support that argument/idea/ fact/etc. because… | **To Show Disagreement**I disagree with you because…I believe your statement is incorrect because…Your claim seems to be invalid because… |
| **To Question**Can you please explain….?How would you justify…?What are your thoughts on…? | **To Compliment and Invite**I like the point that you made because…What are your thoughts on…?That’s an interesting thought you had about…would you please elaborate? |