**Phrases for Supporting Ideas with Evidence**

The little girl was sad **because** she lost her cat.

The man loved clouds. **For instance,** he moved to a house with a big window, just so he could watch them every day.

Suzanne loved cows**. For example,** each day she walked to the field to visit them.

The fore of the wind was very strong. I know because **the author said** the wind could shatter the windows of an apartment building.

**According to the text,** the purpose of a choke in an engine is to supply a richer mixture of fuel when starting the engine.

Very destructive hurricanes may have their name retired. **It said on page** 420 that the name “Hurricane Andrew” was retired for that reason.

**From the reading, I know that** dolphins are mammals.

Smoking in teens is on the decline. **The data shows** that each year, fewer teenagers purchase cigarettes.