

Transition Words

Transition words help your text flow, and show readers the relationship between phrases and paragraphs. Transition words connect ideas and sentences.

To practice how to use these words, fill in the blank with words from the word box, that make sense. Sometimes there will only be one word that will work, and other times, a number of options will work.

Comparison

Similarly
Equally
Likewise
Just as
Just like
Compare to
Same as
Correspondingly
In the same way

Malamute and Husky

Malamutes and Siberian Huskies are gorgeous dogs that can often be confused. They are

_____ hardworking, strong, and loyal.

_____ the Malamute, the Husky is often grey, black, and white. _____ the

Husky is a cold weather dog bred to work hard, so too is the Malamute. The Malamute

evolved and developed as an Arctic dog, _____ the Husky. The

Husky has a thick double coat, _____ that the Malamute has a

thick double coat. There are some differences, however. The Malamute has

slightly longer hair than the Husky, _____ a Great Pyrenees for

example. Another feature which they do not share is the eye colour – the Husky

often has blue eyes (_____ as blue as the eyes on an Australian

Shepherd), while the Malamute usually has brown eyes (_____ a

Beagle). Also, the size is usually different. The Malamute is typically larger than

the husky. The Malamute, you could _____ a Saint Bernard, while a

Husky, you could _____ a German Shepherd. The Malamute is not

really much taller than the Husky, but it is much bulkier, _____ an

English Bulldog is bulkier than a pug. Both the Malamute and Husky are

_____ as striking, bold, and stunning. Alaskan malamutes and Siberian

huskies have similar temperaments, _____ a Labrador

Retriever and a Golden Retriever have similar temperaments. Neither the Husky

nor the Malamute work well as guard dogs—they're not very vocal and are both

_____ just happy to see any people at all—even if they're total

strangers. Malamutes and Huskies different in regards to alone time – the Husky,

being more of a pack animal, is not a fan of being left alone (_____, a Beagle

was descended from working in a pack when hunting), whereas the Malamute

often needs more independence (_____ a Collie is tasked with solitary

tasks). These two dog breeds are _____ regarded.

