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EYFS	 Instigate  Build  Challenge	"I think..." "Yes, and..." "I disagree because..."
Year 1	 Instigate  Build  Challenge	"I think..." "Yes, and..." "I disagree because..." "I agree because..."
Year 2	 Instigate  Build  Challenge  Summarise	"I think..." "Yes, and..." "Building on X's idea..." "I disagree because..." "I agree because..."
Year 3	 Instigate  Build  Challenge  Summarise  Probe	"I would like to start by saying..." "Building on X's idea" "I disagree because..." "Our discussion focused on..." "Why do you think..."
Year 4	 Instigate  Build  Challenge  Summarise  Probe	"I would like to start by saying..." "Building on X's idea..." "I agree and would like to add..." "I disagree because..." "To challenge you X, I think..." "Our discussion focused on..." "So far we have talked about..." "Why do you think..." "Can you provide an example..."
Year 5	 Instigate  Build  Challenge  Summarise  Probe  Clarify	"I would like to start by saying..." "We haven't yet talked about..." "Building on X's idea..." "I agree and would like to add..." "I disagree because..." "To challenge you X, I think..." "Our discussion focused on..." "So far we have talked about..." "Why do you think..." "Can you provide an example..." "So are you saying..." "Does that mean..."
Year 6	 Instigate  Build  Challenge  Summarise  Probe  Clarify	"I would like to start by saying..." "We haven't yet talked about..." "Building on X's idea..." "I agree and would like to add..." "X's idea made me think..." "I disagree because..." "To challenge you X, I think..." "I understand your point of view but have you thought about..." "Our discussion focused on..." "So far we have talked about..." "The main points raised today..." "Why do you think..." "Can you provide an example..." "What evidence do you have to support X idea?" "So are you saying..." "Does that mean..." "Can you clarify what you mean?"