

Digression and Resumption

Fill in the blanks with appropriate expressions

| Digression | Resumption |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| By the way..... | As I was saying..... |
| That reminds me..... | Anyway..... |
| You might be interested to know..... | Back to our topic..... |
| Before I forget..... | Where was I? |
| | Getting back to what I was saying..... |

There are many useful tools that visual learners can use to help them improve their study. One example is using pictures. So, when they learn new vocabulary, rather than just writing the meaning, they can try to draw a picture, to make it more visual.

[digression cue] that I'm a visual learner, and I frequently use pictures to help me remember things.

[resumption cue], a different example might be the diagram of the Kolb learning cycle, which you can see on your handouts. I hope you picked up a handout on your way in. My lectures always have a handout, which I leave on the desk by the door.

[resumption cue], um... another example is using maps or charts, or for history subjects, use a timeline.