DIFFERENT WAYS TO PARAPHRASE

1. **Synonym Replacement (Dùng từ đồng nghĩa để thay thế)**
   "The environment is **at risk** due to pollution."
   => "Pollution is **endangering** the environment."
2. **Change Word Forms (dùng từ loại khác để thay thế) (N-V):**
   Original: " As men and women have to work full time, household duties should be equally **divided.**
   => Paraphrase: " There should be a even division of household chores between males and females.
   Original: **Eating too much** fast food poses a threat to overall well-being.
   ⇨ Paraphrase: **Excessive consumption** of fast food poses a threat to overall well-being.
3. **Use of Pronouns:** (This – That – These – Those – Which)
   Original: "The company **experienced** a **significant increase** in profits. **This** increase was due to **improved** sales."
   Paraphrase: "The company **saw** a **substantial rise** in profits, **which resulted from enhanced** sales."
4. **Reorder the Sentence:**
   Original: "To succeed in business, you must work hard."
   Paraphrase: "Working hard is essential for success in business."
5. **Change Sentence Structure:**
   Original: Big cities often provide more job opportunities, which leads to an increasing number of people moving from the countryside to urban areas. (MĐQH đầy đủ)
   => Big cities often provide more job opportunities, leading to an increasing increasing number of people moving from the countryside to urban areas. (Participle clause – MĐQH rút gọn)
6. **Replace Active Voice with Passive Voice or Vice Versa:**
   Original: "Scientists **have discovered** a new planet."
   Paraphrase: "A new planet **has been discovered** by scientists."
7. **Use of Cause and Effect Language:**
   Original: "The rise in oil prices **led to** an increase in transportation costs."
   Paraphrase: "The increase in transportation costs was a **consequence of** the surge in oil prices."
8. **Add Synonyms or Additional Information (thêm thắt thông tin): (Dùng thận trọng!)**
   Original: "The book is about climate change."
   Paraphrase: "The book focuses on the topic of climate change, **discussing its causes and impacts.**
9. **Use of Modifiers (thêm trạng từ, phó từ…): (Dùng thận trọng!)**
   Original: "The cat is very cute."
   Paraphrase: "The cat is **incredibly adorable**."
10. **Substitute Specific Terms with General Ones (Hyponym-Hypernym) (chung chung – cụ thể hoặc ngược lại): (Dùng thận trọng!)**
    Original: "I enjoy playing video games."
    Paraphrase: "I like engaging in **digital entertainment**."

Hoa – Hoa hồng (phạm vi to – nhỏ) or Sports – football (phạm vi to – nhỏ)

LIVEWORKSHEETS

PRACTICE CORNER

1. **Strict punishments for driving offences are the key to ensuring road safety.**

• Strict punishments = more stringent penalty = heavy (driving) penalties = a heavy course of punishments = violation penalties/ fines = impose sanctions for driving offences = Stern penalties = rigorous …
• Driving offences = Dangerous drivers = traffic violations = traffic law breakers = break traffic laws
• Ensure road safety = make our roads safer = promote safe driving = reduce road/traffic accidents
- *Optimal/ comprehensive/ultimate + solution to + NOUN*
- *Adopt/ implement/ enact/ impose + solutions*

2. **In some countries the average weight of people is increasing and their levels of health and fitness are decreasing.**

• Countries = nations
• The average weight of people = people's average weight
• Overweight = obese
• Fitness = their time spent on physical activities
• Decreasing = on the decrease --- Increasing = on the increase

LIVEWORKSHEETS

3. **The increasing use of computers and mobile phones in communication has negative effects on young people's reading and writing skills.**

• The increasing use = the high use = the growing use = the heavy dependence = heavy reliance • Has negative/detrimental effects = have adverse impacts = negatively affect (v) • Young people = the young = the youth = teenagers = students (for example)

4. **Nowadays, many families have both parents working. Some working parents believe other family members like grandparents can take care of their children, while others think childcare centres provide the best care.**

• Family members = close relatives • Childcare centres = childcare organisations = childcare corporations = childcare settings = organisations that offer/ provide babysitting service • Take care of their children = look after their children = care for their children = children are taken care of…

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