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# Comparative Vocabulary

Comparative phrases can be used at the beginning or in the middle of a comparative sentence

When  
showing  
contrasts...



On the one hand

On the other  
hand

In contrast

Despite this

In spite of

Unlike

Although

Even though

Nevertheless

Instead

Whereas

While

Rather than

Nor

Conversely

Even so/if

Because of

However

Otherwise

Though

Nonetheless

By contrast

The reverse

**Both** texts reveal  
the true  
relationship of the  
dominant  
characters

The first text  
connotes a calmer  
atmosphere **even  
though** it contains a  
darker backdrop

**Just as** the colours  
give us an impression  
of his world, **so too** do  
the smaller details  
hint at his darker  
nature



When  
showing  
similarities...



In the same way

Equally

Similarly/  
A similar 'x'

Just as..so too

Both texts reveal

Together with

Meanwhile

As with/as well as

Another 'x' like

As well as

Not only...but also

Aside from

Likewise

Comparably

Also

Furthermore  
/Moreover

By the same token

Even so