

# Text Structure Notes - Sequence

## Definition:

- Steps described in the order they occur (Information is listed **step-by-step**)
- Explains how to do *it* or how *it* happens
- Does **not** take place at any specific point in time

## Signal Words

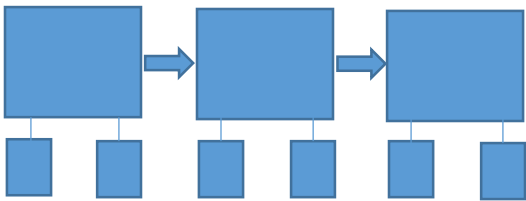
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• First, second, etc.</li><li>• Before</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Next</li><li>• Prior to</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Then</li><li>• At last</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• After</li><li>• Finally</li></ul>
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## Summary Questions

- What are the steps, directions, or procedures?  
---(What must be done first, second, etc.)
- What is the first thing to do?
- What is the final thing to do?
- What other steps are included?

## Graphic Organizers

### Flow Map



### Process Map

