## **CER Paragraph Structure Reference Sheet**

Claim 1	<ul> <li>causes</li> <li>is the reason for</li> <li>and</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Use quantitative (numerical) data</li> <li>What does the slope tell us?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>From the lab/experiment, evidence to support the claim is</li> <li>One piece of evidence to support this claim is from the lab/experiment.</li> <li>In the data</li> <li>This claim is evidenced by</li> <li>According to the data collected during the investigation</li> <li>According to the observations collected during the investigation</li> </ul>
Reasoning 1 (How does your evidence support your claim?)	<ul> <li>This is important because</li> <li>This evidence shows that</li> <li>This evidence suggests that</li> <li>This evidence confirms that</li> <li>Based on the evidence, it can be concluded that because</li> <li>The most logical conclusion that can be drawn from this evidence is that because</li> <li>These facts work together to build a case thatbecause</li> </ul>

Claim 2	<ul> <li>causes</li> <li>is the reason for</li> <li>and</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Use quantitative (numerical) data</li> <li>What does the slope tell us?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Another piece of evidence from the lab/experiment is</li> <li>Additionally,</li> <li>In the data</li> <li>This claim is evidenced by</li> <li>According to the data collected during the investigation</li> <li>According to the observations collected during the investigation</li> </ul>
Reasoning 2 (How does your evidence support your claim?)	<ul> <li>This is important because</li> <li>This evidence shows that</li> <li>This evidence suggests that</li> <li>This evidence confirms that</li> <li>Based on the evidence, it can be concluded that because</li> <li>The most logical conclusion that can be drawn from this evidence is that because</li> <li>These facts work together to build a case that because</li> </ul>