

Accountable Talk Sentence Stems

I believe ____ because ____.

I agree with ____ because ____.

I disagree with ____ because ____.

I respectfully agree/disagree with what ____ said because ____.

I'm confused. What did you mean when you said ____?

On page ____, it says ____, so I think ____.

I understood that you said ____.

May I point out ____?

I would like to add ____.

Do you mind explaining ____?

Could you please tell me more about ____?