

## **Under It!**

*Discourse Markers* are words and phrases that we use to connect, organize, and manage what we say or write, or to express attitude. Some examples include:

so	right	okay
anyway	as I say	to begin with

**DIRECTIONS:** Underline the *discourse markers* in the sentences below.

1. Well, I've decided to quit the softball team.
2. I think we ought to get a pizza. Right.
3. Anyway, Carrie called last night.
4. Mind, I didn't want to do it; I felt I had no choice.
5. Okay, I guess I will help you out.
6. In general, there are two types of people – cat people and dog people.
7. On top of everything else, I fell in the pond!
8. Second, we need to make a phone call.
9. I mean, we had barely gotten started!
10. You know, I think carrots grow on trees.
11. Frankly, I don't think I can take any more.
12. If you ask me, he hasn't got a chance.

