***Talk Like a Professor***

***Change the verbs:***

Callahan . . .

believes,

claims,

states,

identifies,

agrees,

disagrees,

explores,

holds,

argues,

defines,

contends,

responds,

supports,

summarizes,

raises the question,

***Change the preposition:***

**As** Callahan states in his book, “*Education And The Cult Of Efficiency*,”

**According to** Callahan, author of . . .,

**In** Dewey’s 1916 essay, *Democracy and Education*, he summarized . . .

**In addition,** Howard claims . . .

**When** asked if . . ., Smith responded . . .

**As** stated earlier . . .

**Some** researchers . . .

***Change the nouns:***

**Several researchers** . . . {supports, reveals, agrees, disagrees, corroborates, etc.)

**The literature** . . . {supports, reveals, agrees, disagrees, corroborates, etc.)

**The authors** . . .

**This study** describes . . .