When you want to make a point!

In my opinion... My opinion is... I believe it to be... I for one think... I strongly believe... Personally I believe... I'm convinced that... To my mind...

When you want to get depth or use facts to make a point

According to Mr Brown... Some experts argue that... It's a well-known fact...

When building a case:

First of all... First... For a start... To begin with... At first ... (but) Initially... Secondly... After that... Next, ... Thirdly... Finally... To conclude... To sum up... All in all... So, in short... Besides... Also... And the another thing is... Furthermore... Moreover... In addition... I might add... Perhaps I should mention...

When you want to say something in a different way:

In other words... What I mean is... What I'm saying is... Don't get me wrong... Let me put it this way.... Let me rephrase...

When giving a reason:

Because of owing to since The main reason why The reason why Due to

Other expressions:

Her aim Her purpose Her intention Mind you (det ska du veta) In view of the fact that Therefore Thus (=sålunda) The cause of

Actually In reality however It may seem like It seems as if In fact Consequently An effect of On account of For this reason

We take for granted that Supposedly The truth of the matter is