

### Introducing statements

Categorise these verbs according to whether they indicate LOW, MEDIUM or HIGH confidence:

advances the idea that ...	maintains
advocates	presents
affirms	promotes
asserts	proposes
claims	proves
clarifies	reasons
conveys	recommends
corroborates	records
declares	recounts
defends	relates
defines	reports
demonstrates	reveals
describes	reviews
develops	shows
emphasises	signifies
endorses	specifies
establishes	states
evidences	substantiates
explains	suggests
expresses	supports
implies	upholds
indicates	validates
interprets	verifies