help them develop more precise estimates for construction projects.
My plans seemed so clear and logical at one time. (2)

I enjoy talking with my parents about different accounting methods,
evertheless, I have lately been considering moving to a different part
of the country and working in a different type of business. New England
would be a great place to live for example. Additionally I am considering
working as an accountant for a company that manufactures computer
parts. Even though I want the family business to do well, I want to try
something very different. My parents have always supported my choices,
still, I know they will be disappointed if I do not work for them. (4)

Correctly punctuate all transitional terms in the following paragraphs using
the first correction as a model. The number in parentheses at the end of each
paragraph indicates how many errors you should find.

My best friend and I enjoy watching professional football/ thus we
talk a great deal about the sport. The problem is that we have strong
feelings about different teams. His favorite team is the Chicago Bears, in
contrast, mine is the Dallas Cowboys. Consequently we argue frequently
and loudly. (2)

Neither of our teams has done particularly well in the last few years.
Nevertheless we are diehard fans. Even though our teams rarely play one
another, he and I still argue about which team is better. Last week in fact
we were almost shouting at each other over the simple matter of which
team has a tougher schedule this year. If our teams played better, maybe
we would not be so defensive, furthermore, maybe we would not argue so
much if we were not both so competitive. (3)