## ENLARGE  --  Pattern definitions

### Pattern 1

**[Human]^[Eventuality]] enlarge [Entity]**

**Explanation**

[[Human | Eventuality]] causes [[Entity]] to grow or become larger

**Example**

*These were not large powers, but later changes were to **enlarge** them.*

### Pattern 2

**[Entity] enlarge [no object]**

**Explanation**

[[Entity]] grows or becomes larger

**Example**

*As infants grow, their bodies not only **enlarge** but change both in shape and colour.*

### Pattern 3

**[Human]^Document]] enlarge [{on | upon} Anything = Topic] [no object]**

**Explanation**

[[Human]] speaks or writes at length on [[Anything = Topic]] or [[Document]] contains long-winded comments on [[Topic]]

**Example**

*Let me **enlarge** on this a little.*

### Pattern 4

**enlarged**

**Explanation**

now larger than before, without any deliberate causer or causer irrelevant

**Example**

*The fluid filled spaces or ventricles appear to be **enlarged**, and the blood flow to the front of the brain is reduced.*