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PAPILUMO | 2nd Grade

# Cause and Effect Sentences

Part 1: draw a line from each numbered cause on the left to its matching effect on the right. Part 2: finish each 'because' sentence.



Zelie the Logic Ferret's tip: ask 'Why did it happen?' for the cause, and 'What happened next?' for the effect!

**CAUSE** → **EFFECT**

Maya forgot her umbrella.

→ **Her hair got wet in the rain.**

## Part 1: Match each cause on the left to its outcome on the right

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| 1. Leo forgot to water the fern all week. | A. Snow piled inside the skate boots overnight. |
| 2. The cookie dough stayed in the hot oven too long. | B. His sneakers stayed snug until the finish line. |
| 3. Mina left her ice skates on the porch in the snow. | C. The green leaves turned dry and crispy brown. |
| 4. Dad gently blew on a tiny glowing campfire spark. | D. The little flame grew bright, warm, and steady. |
| 5. Sam tied both shoelaces tightly before the race. | E. The cookie edges baked dark and extra crunchy. |

## Part 2: Finish each sentence with a clear reason after 'because'

**1. I put on my warm wool hat and mittens this morning because ...**

**2. The puppy raced happily toward the back door because ...**

Zelie's tip: read your matched pair backward with the word 'because' in the middle to double-check that it makes true sense!