



# Cause and Effect

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: Grade 3

## Part A: Multiple Choice

Circle the best answer for each question.

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- B) or
- C) therefore
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- B) She got a perfect score.
- C) The test was difficult.
- D) Her mom helped her study.

3. Which pair of sentences shows a cause and its effect? A) The dog was hungry. B) It rained on Tuesday. C) She filled the dog bowl. D) The park was crowded.

- A) A and B
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- C) A and C
- D) C and D

4. A story says: "Since the electricity went out, the family played board games by candlelight." What is the cause?

- A) The family played board games.
- B) They used candlelight.
- C) The electricity went out.
- D) They had fun together.

## Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the correct answer on each line.

1. The volcano erupted, \_\_\_\_\_ ash covered the nearby villages.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ the trail was muddy, the hikers wore their rain boots.
3. The teacher explained the lesson twice. \_\_\_\_\_, everyone understood the topic.
4. He left the window open during the storm. As a \_\_\_\_\_, the carpet got soaked.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ the concert was sold out, they watched it online instead.

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