

Cause and Effect Match 2

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...answers the question '**why did this happen**'.

Effect

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...happens last (but not always in the text).

...answers the question '**what happened**'.

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| 7) | Hannah was sick. | He had a sore stomach. |
| 8) | The girl slammed her finger in the door. | She stayed at home. |

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