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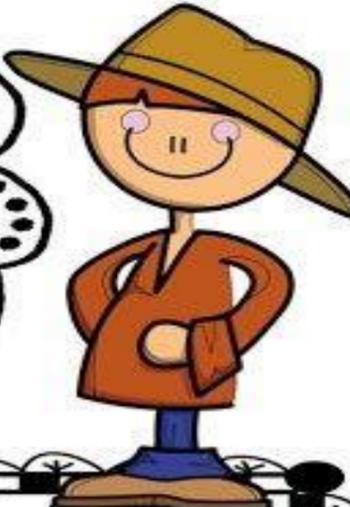
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UNIT 4

TOPIC : Cause And Effect



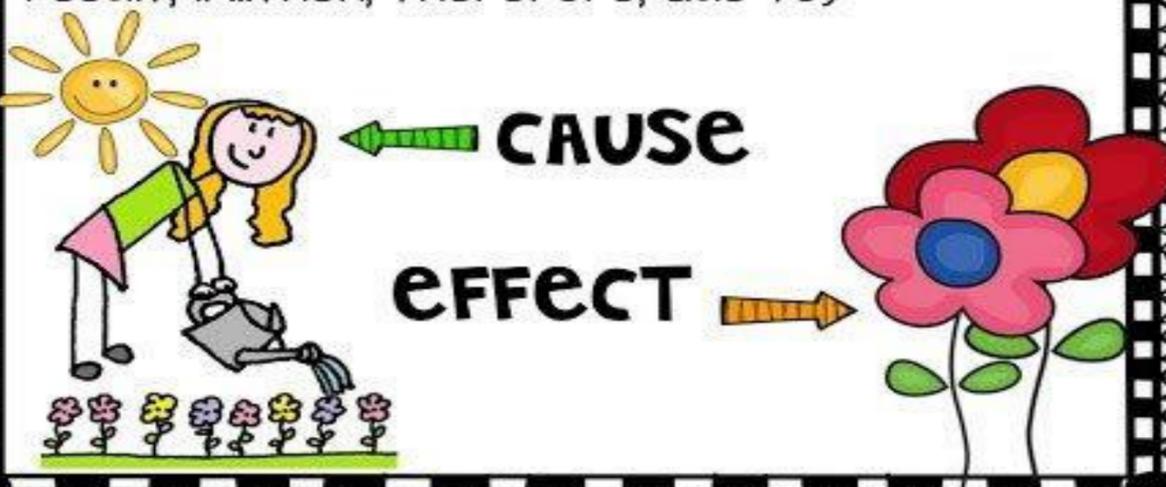
CAUSE AND EFFECT



CAUSE- The **REASON**- **Why** something happened

EFFECT- The **RESULT**- **What** happened

(Signal words- because, so, since, as a result, if...then, therefore, due to)



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Therefore we can define cause and effects as follows :

A cause creates an effect.

An effect is the outcome of cause

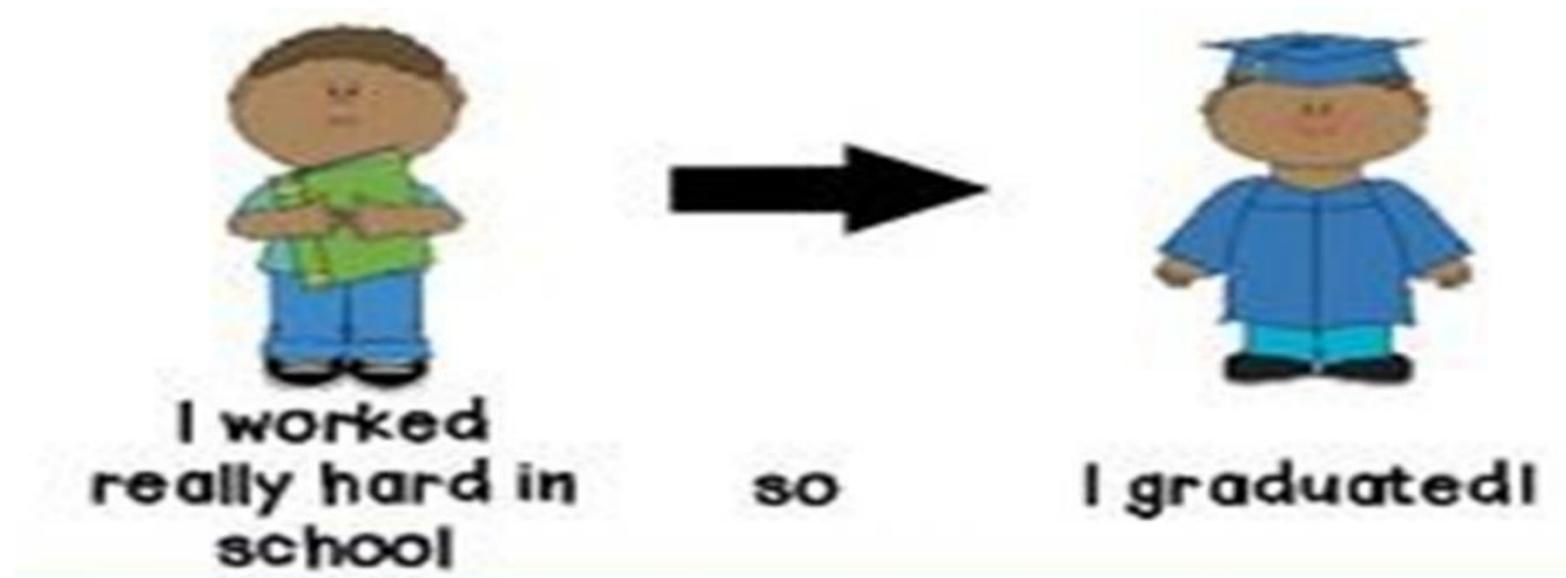


Cause and Effect Signal Words



Words used to show the cause & effect relationship in a sentence are as follows

- Because
- Consequently
- Accordingly
- Because of
- Leads to
- Results in
- As a result
- Due to
- If-then
- Since
- So
- Therefore
- Thus



In this sentence

I worked really hard in school. I graduated can be represent in many ways by using the cause and effect expressions

1. Since I worked really hard in school I graduated.
2. I worked really hard in school as a result I graduated.



In this sentence

It was raining. There was a rainbow. can be represent in many ways by using the cause and effect expressions

1. Since it was raining there was a rainbow.
2. It was raining as a result there was a rainbow.



ASSESSMENT



MATCH THE COLUMN A WITH B

COLUMN A	COLUMN B
1. __The car ran a red light.	A. The horses were thirsty Another car hit it.
2. ____Ben stayed up late.	B.
3. __The students were quiet in class.	C. She was hungry at lunch.
4. _____ It rained.	D. He was sleepy the next day. Chris got wet.
5. __Lydia skipped breakfast.	E. The teacher gave them a reward.
6. _____It was very hot outside	F.



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The child is hungry.



The child wants to eat
an apple.

In this sentence

The child is hungry. The child wants to eat an apple can be represent in many ways by using the cause and effect expressions

1. The child is hungry so the child wants to eat an apple.

2. The child wants to eat an apple because the child is hungry.



The Sun was hot



My Ice cream melted



In this sentence

The sun was hot. My Ice cream melted can be represent in many ways by using the cause and effect expressions

1. Since the sun was hot My Ice cream melted.
2. The sun was hot so My Ice cream melted.



ASSESSMENT



Read each sentence. Underline the cause in red and the effect in blue.

1. I forgot my English book because I didn't put it in my backpack last night.
2. Because it started raining, we had to go inside at recess.
3. I love watching Ax Men because Shelby is so funny.
4. We had to get a new TV because ours was not high definition.
5. The cheerleaders messed up tonight because they didn't practice this week.
6. I wanted to be the best dressed person at the party so I bought some new clothes.
7. The dentist told me to brush my teeth every night so I won't get any cavities.
8. Because I was late for class, my teacher wouldn't let me lead the pledge.
9. The dog was hungry, so I fed him two bowls of dog food.
10. I ate so much candy that I felt sick to my stomach.





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Thank You