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CAUSE and EFFECT CAPABILTY

**GUIDELINES:** 1. A ***cause*** is an action or event that makes something happen; an ***effect*** is the result of that action or event. Writers use clue words to indicate cause-and-effect relationships such as *because, since, as a result, so, the reason* that and *consequently*.⮚ To help students find the cause in the passage, ask the question “Why did it happen?”  
⮚ To help students find the effect, ask the question “What happened?”

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