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- 1 Combine these two sentences to show cause and effect.  
**Tom's computer was broken. He did not get his paper typed.**
- A Tom's computer was broken because he did not get his paper typed.
  - B Tom's computer was broken so he did not get his paper typed.
  - C Tom's computer was broken instead of getting his paper typed.
  - D Tom's computer was broken until he did not get his paper typed.

- 2 She needed new shoes \_\_\_\_\_ her shoes were too small.
- A unless
  - B instead of
  - C because
  - D near



CAUSE	EFFECT
All the windows were open during a storm.	?

CAUSE	EFFECT
?	The bakery stopped making rye bread.

- 3 What statement could be correctly added into the **effect** column?
- A We bought new windows.

- 4 What statement could be correctly added into the **cause** column?
- A People loved the rye bread.



## PREVIEW

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- 8 added into the **cause** column:
- A She ran her fastest race ever.
  - B She organized a clean-up day.
  - C She read ten books in one month.
  - D She cooked dinner for her family.

- 9 This cause and effect series is \_\_\_\_\_.
- A correct
  - B incorrect

- 9 Combine these two sentences to show cause and effect.  
**I didn't know what time it was. I missed my bus.**
- A I didn't know what time it was because I missed my bus.
  - B I missed my bus and I didn't know what time it was.
  - C I didn't know what time it was so I missed my bus.
  - D Because I missed my bus, I didn't know what time it was.



- 10 Combine these two sentences to show cause and effect.  
**The book was long. It took me all night to finish it.**
- A Since it took me all night to finish it, the book was long.
  - B The book was long because it took me all night to finish it.
  - C The book was long due to the fact that it took me all night.
  - D Since the book was long, it took me all night to finish it.





## ANSWER KEY

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(b)

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(c)

CAUSE	EFFECT
All the windows were open during a storm.	?

What statement could be correctly added into the effect column?

- A We bought new windows.
- B The windows got cleaned.
- C Our new chair got all wet.
- D

(c)

CAUSE	EFFECT
?	The bakery stopped making rye bread.

What statement could be correctly added into the cause column?

- A People loved the rye bread.
- B Some people like to eat rye bread.
- C Everyone bought cookies at the bakery.

(d)



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