



Comprehension

C.021

Expository Text Structure

Write Cause or Effect



Objective

The student will identify the relationship between cause and effect.



Materials

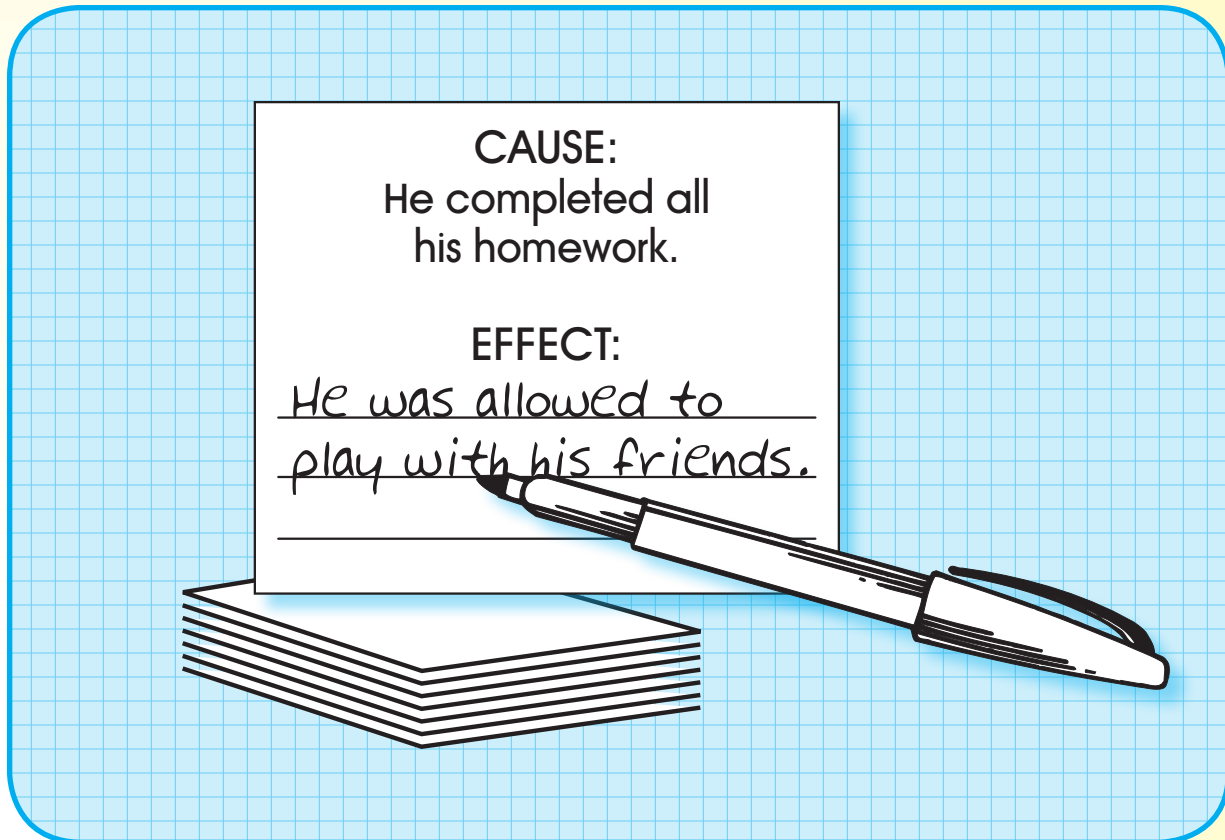
- ▶ Cause and effect cards (Activity Master C.021.AM1a - C.021.AM1c)
Laminate.
- ▶ Vis-à-Vis® markers



Activity

Students write causes and effects by playing a completion game.

1. Place cause and effect cards face down in a stack. Provide students with Vis-à-Vis® markers.
2. Taking turns, students select top card from stack, read the cause or effect on the card to partner.
3. Think about the possible causes or effects and discuss with partner.
4. Write a corresponding cause or effect on card. Place card face up on a flat surface.
5. Reverse roles and continue until all cards are completed.
6. Peer evaluation



Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Record six of the causes and effects on student sheet (Activity Master C.021.SS1).
- ▶ Write cause or effect on cards and play game (Activity Master C.021.AM2).
- ▶ Make cause and effect cards to play memory game (Activity Master C.021.AM3).
- ▶ Record multiple effects for one cause or multiple causes for one effect (C.021.SS2).

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C.021.AM1a

<p>CAUSE: She fell asleep for two hours in the sun.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>CAUSE: He completed all his homework.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>CAUSE: He climbed the tree.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>CAUSE: He was careless and didn't pay attention while riding his bicycle.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>CAUSE: Sunlight shone through the rain.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>CAUSE: The car drove over nails and glass.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>

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<p>CAUSE: She helped carry in the groceries.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>CAUSE: He was walking without any shoes.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>CAUSE: He raised his hand.</p> <p>EFFECT:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>CAUSE:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>EFFECT: The water turned to ice.</p>
<p>CAUSE:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>EFFECT: The warning alarm rang.</p>	<p>CAUSE:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>EFFECT: He spent two hours cleaning his room.</p>

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C.021.AM1c

CAUSE:

EFFECT:
She had a cast
on her foot.

CAUSE:

EFFECT:
He was late for school.

CAUSE:

EFFECT:
The mouse
got loose.

CAUSE:

EFFECT:
The food spoiled and
got thrown away.

CAUSE:

EFFECT:
They hid behind
the tree.

CAUSE:

EFFECT:
The power went out.



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C.02I.SSI

Write Cause or Effect

CAUSE: He climbed the tree.

EFFECT: _____

CAUSE: Sunlight shone through the rain.

EFFECT: _____

CAUSE: He was walking without any shoes.

EFFECT: _____

CAUSE: _____

EFFECT: They hid behind the tree.

CAUSE: _____

EFFECT: The power went out.

CAUSE: _____

EFFECT: He spent two hours cleaning his room.

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Write Cause or Effect

C.02I.AM2

CAUSE:

EFFECT:

CAUSE:

EFFECT:

CAUSE:

EFFECT:

CAUSE:

EFFECT:

CAUSE:

EFFECT:

CAUSE:

EFFECT:

blank cause and effect cards



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C.02I.AM3

Write Cause or Effect

	cause	effect
	cause	effect
	cause	effect
	cause	effect

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Write Cause or Effect

C.02I.SS2

