



Objective

The student will identify the relationship between cause and effect.

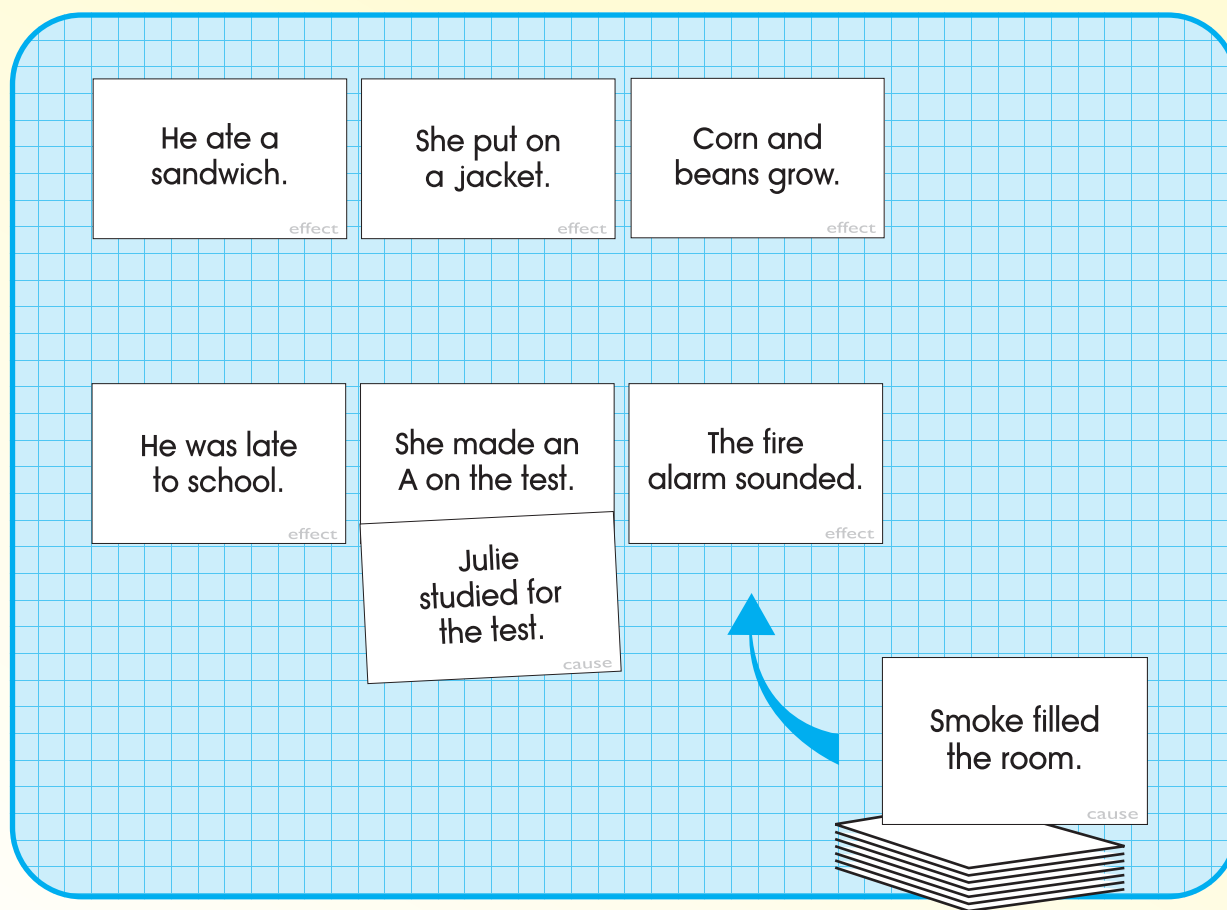
Materials

- ▶ Cause and effect cards

Activity

Students identify causes and corresponding effects by playing a matching game.

1. Place cause cards in a stack face down at the center. Place effect cards face up in rows.
2. Working in pairs, student one selects top card from cause stack and reads it to partner.
3. Student two looks at effect cards and identifies one that corresponds. Picks up card, reads it and places the two cards side by side. If the effect card is not identified, student one assists.
4. Reverse roles and continue until all cards are matched.
5. Peer evaluation



He ate a sandwich. effect

She put on a jacket. effect

Corn and beans grow. effect

He was late to school. effect

She made an A on the test. effect

The fire alarm sounded. effect

Julie studied for the test. cause

Smoke filled the room. cause

Extensions and Adaptations

- ▶ Make more cause and effect cards to match and sort using header cards.
- ▶ Play memory game with cause and effect cards.

Comprehension

Cause and Effect Match

C. 020

Billy was
very hungry.

cause

He ate a
sandwich.

effect

It rained for
three days
and nights.

cause

The river
overflowed into
the streets and
houses.

effect

The girl
felt cold.

cause

She put on
a jacket.

effect

The farmer plants
the seeds and
waters them.

cause

Corn and
beans grow.

effect



Comprehension

C. 020

Cause and Effect Match

The baby
cried.

cause

The mother
picked up the
baby.

effect

The school
bell rang.

cause

The students
lined up at the
classroom door.

effect

Julie
studied for
the test.

cause

She made an
A on the test.

effect

He left the house
late and got
stuck in traffic.

cause

He was late
to school.

effect



Comprehension

Cause and Effect Match

C. 020

Smoke filled
the room.

cause

The fire
alarm sounded.

effect

The storm kept
my brother
awake all night.

cause

The next day
he was tired and
took a nap.

effect

He ran fast and
tripped on the
sidewalk.

cause

He scraped his
knee and elbow.

effect

She brushes and
flosses her teeth
everyday.

cause

She has
no cavities.

effect



Cause

header



Effect

header

