



Cause & Effect

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 2

Part A: Multiple Choice

Circle the best answer for each question.

1. Kira set her alarm for 6:30 but turned it off in her sleep. She woke up at 7:45 and saw the bus go by her window. What was the cause of Kira missing the bus?

- A) She turned off her alarm while sleeping
- B) The bus was early today
- C) Her window was closed tight
- D) Her room was a little messy

2. Theo had a puppy that chewed his new shoe. He had left the shoe on the floor near the puppy bed. Why did the puppy chew the shoe?

- A) The puppy was angry at Theo
- B) The shoe was left within the puppy reach
- C) The shoe tasted like dog food
- D) Theo told the puppy to chew it

3. Ada spilled paint on her drawing. She had bumped the cup with her elbow while reaching for a crayon. What caused the paint to spill?

- A) The paint was too full
- B) Ada bumped the cup with her elbow
- C) The crayon was broken
- D) The paper was slippery

4. Milo flew his kite higher and higher. A strong gust of wind had picked it up just as he started to run. Why did the kite fly so high?

- A) Milo pulled the string down
- B) The kite was very heavy
- C) A strong gust of wind lifted it
- D) Milo stopped running fast

Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the correct answer on each line.

1. Ben tripped over his backpack because he left it in the _____.
2. The cat knocked over the vase, so water spilled on the _____.
3. Ivy laughed loudly at the joke, so her sister started to _____ too.
4. The dog barked at the door, so Dad went to _____ who was there.
5. Leo read his book under the blanket, so his mom brought him a _____.

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