

heavy rain

Cause/effect!

cancer

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overexposure to the sun

oil spill

good circulation

obesity

junk food

get an antigen test

arrive late

a deadly pandemic

smoking
cigarettes

pollution in the atmosphere

too much stress

I study hard

sound

insomnia

healthy diet

floods

I have a bad cough

a bad traffic jam

sunburn

exercise

coronavirus

vibrations

cars in the city

a deadly bacteria

I get good grades

many animals died

Look at the words above and put each word in the appropriate column.

cause

effect

heavy rain

floods

Write cause effect sentences using the vocabulary above. For example, "Floods **are caused by** heavy rain." or "Rain **causes** floods." Feel free to add your own words to make more natural sentences for conversation..... "We often have floods **if** there is heavy rain".

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CAUSE EFFECT SENTENCES (EXAMPLE)

EXAMPLE

cause: water is heated

effect: it boils

CAUSE -----EFFECT

When water is heated , it boils.

SENTENCE PATTERNS

1 CAUSE -----EFFECT

Heavy rain **causes** floods.

A lack of rain **results in** a drought.

Flowers **produce** pollen.

2 EFFECT ----- CAUSE

Her computer stopped working **due to** a virus.

White light is **a result of** a mixing of wavelengths.

Passive voice

Pollen **is produced by** flowers.

Floods **are caused by** heavy rain.

If/so/when

3 CAUSE -----EFFECT

If you train your dog, he will follow commands.

When she completes her medical training, she will become a doctor.

The weather forecast predicted rain, **so** he took his umbrella.

4 EFFECT ----- CAUSE

Your dog will follow commands **if** you train him.

She will become a doctor **when** she completes her medical training.

Examples of possible answers

Many animals died as a result of an oil spill.

Sound is caused by vibrations.

Too much stress causes insomnia.

Insomnia is caused by too much stress.

Sunburn is caused by overexposure to the sun.

The coronavirus caused me to get an antigen test.

A deadly pandemic was caused by the coronavirus.

Smoking cigarettes causes cancer.

Junk food causes obesity.

If I study hard, I get good grades.

When I exercise, I have good circulation.

If I exercise, I have good circulation.

Good circulation results from exercise.

I arrived late due to a bad traffic jam.

If I have a bad cough, I might have the coronavirus.

Pollution in the atmosphere is caused by cars in the city.