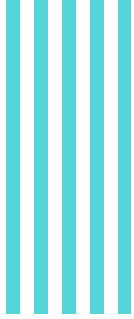


# ACTIVITY

## IF YOU GIVE A CAT A CUPCAKE



## CAUSE AND EFFECT

This week's activity helps students strengthen their story element retention while working on cause and effect. This pack includes a copy of one of Laurie's examples of cause and effect for students to reference along with an easy cause-effect practice sheet for students to practice writing/expressing causes and effects based on the given cause or effect. Also, provided are picture cards with illustrations from the book help students practice sequencing and retelling the story. These visual cards will also come in handy for the cause-effect cupcake matching game.





# CAUSE AND EFFECT

## CAUSE

**Why** did it happen?

## EFFECT

**What** happened

## EXAMPLE

### CAUSE

It **rained**



### EFFECT

I **used my umbrella**





## CAUSE AND EFFECT PICTURE CARDS

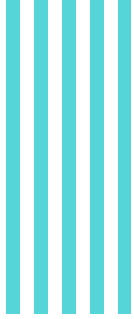


If you give a cat a cupcake, he will want some sprinkles to go with it.



He will spill sprinkles all over the floor and need to clean it up...





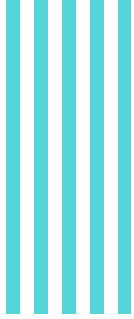
## CAUSE AND EFFECT PICTURE CARDS



Cleaning up makes him hot, he will want a bathing suit...



Then he will want to go to the beach...



## CAUSE AND EFFECT PICTURE CARDS



He will go in the water...



While he dries off, he will build a sand castle...



## CAUSE AND EFFECT PICTURE CARDS



Then he will look for shells, but his pail will get too heavy...



He will decide he needs to go to the gym...



## CAUSE AND EFFECT PICTURE CARDS



At the gym, he will try karate...



After the exercise he will want to go to the park, he will see a lake...



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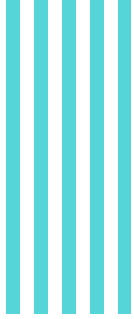


He will want to go rowing, on the boat he will see a playground...



He will see the merry go round and want to try it. It reminds him of the dinosaurs...





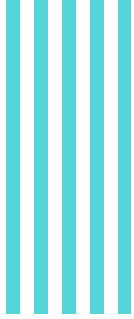
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He will want to go to the science museum, and you'll be the last to leave...



On the way home, he will collect his items from the beach...



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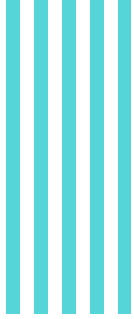


When he gets home, he will brush the sand onto the floor...



It will remind him of sprinkles, so he will ask for some...





## CAUSE AND EFFECT PRACTICE

### CAUSE

If you give him  
spinkles,

### EFFECT

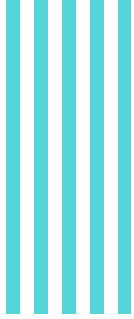
Then...

If he sees a lake...

Then...

If he is the captain of  
a row boat...

Then...



# CAUSE AND EFFECT PRACTICE

Draw a picture of your own cause and effect

If I do this:

Then this will happen...



# CAUSE AND EFFECT CUPCAKE MATCHING GAME

## DIRECTIONS

1. Choose a purple cupcake and read the cause
2. Find the matching green cupcake with the effect
3. Record your answers

## CHALLENGE

Use the black and white cupcakes to find the cause and effect matches





# CAUSE AND EFFECT CUPCAKE MATCHING GAME



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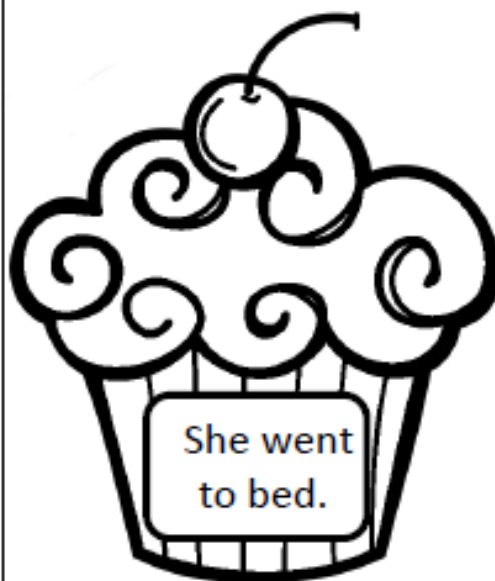
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