Name _____ Date _____

Cause and Resulting Effect

Directions: For each statement in the "Effect" column, choose a statement from the "Cause" column which might answer the question, "Why?" Write the letter of the cause on the line before the effect.

	Effect:	**Cause:**
1._____	**1.** Sue will be working late all week to catch up.	**A.** Her party is on Saturday.
2._____	**2.** She was soaked from head to toe.	**B.** She had a fight with her friend.
3._____	**3.** Danny has been saving up all of his money.	**C.** She dropped it in the washer.
4._____	**4.** 4. Mom forgot to sign my permission slip.	**D.** I forgot my math book at school.
5._____	**5.** Mandy was crying in the hallway.	**E.** She missed three days of work last week.
6._____	**6.** I had to borrow one from a friend.	**F.** Jill walked home in the rain.
7._____	**7.** Tammie ruined her phone.	**G.** Aaron needs to earn extra money for the trip.
8._____	**8.** He is working late tonight.	**H.** He saw a new e-reader that he wants to purchase.
9._____	**9.** I didn't do my homework.	**I.** I lost my only pencil in the hallway.
10._____	**10.** We bought her a present.	**J.** She has been really busy due to my grandpa's illness.