

# Cause and Effect

Kata penghubung sebab-akibat atau dalam bahasa Inggris disebut cause-effect adalah kata penghubung yang menghubungkan sebuah sebab dan akibatnya. Ada dua jenis kata penghubung yaitu:

1. **Kata penghubung yang diikuti dengan klausa/ clause** adalah kata penghubung yang memerlukan sebuah subject dan predicate dalam penulisannya. Kata penghubung jenis pertama ini antara lain:

- **Because**
  - Sinta was absent because she got a bad cold yesterday
- **Since**
  - Jenny has decided to move to Surabaya since there are more opportunities for employment in that city.
- **As**
  - The players delivered a splendid performance as they had rehearsed well
- **For**
  - He could not get a seat for he came too late
- **As a result**
  - There are too many tasks, as a result, most of the students are unhappy and stressed



IMPORTANT

Menulis dan berbicara dalam bahasa Inggris tentang sebab akibat ini disebut cause effect relationship. Ada kalimat yang menjadi penyebab dan juga ada kalimat yang menjadi akibat.

**2. Kata penghubung yang diikuti frasa / gerund** adalah kata hubung yang hanya diikuti dengan frasa benda saja atau gerund tanpa ada predicate atau verb di dalamnya. Kata penghubung jenis kedua ini antara lain:

- Due To
  - Due to driving while drunk, his driving license was seized by the police
- Because of
  - The teacher got angry because of the students' disobedience.
- Owing to
  - Owing to her hard work, she passed the SBMPTN entrance test
- Thanks to
  - Thanks to their good plan, the event ran well



- **We can mention the cause first, then the effect.**
  - e.g. A tsunami causes disturbances.
- **We can also mention the effect first, then the cause.**
  - e.g. A tsunami is caused by the displacement of a large volume of a body of water

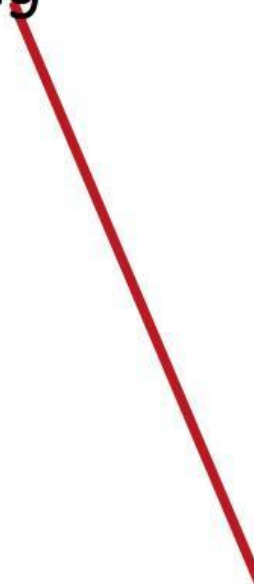


# EXERCISE I. CAUSE AND EFFECT

## INSTRUCTION :

Match the words in the left column with the word in the right one so that they show a cause and effect relationship.

(Jodohkan kata-kata pada sebelah kiri dengan kata-kata pada sebelah kanan untuk menunjukkan hubungan sebab-akibat)

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|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Global warming       | A. Anopheles Mosquito bite |
| 2. Accident             | B. Lack of rain            |
| 3. Malaria              | C. Economic crisis         |
| 4. Flood                | D. Broken home             |
| 5. Juvenile delinquency | E. Ozone depletion         |
| 6. Drought              | F. Lack of vitamin         |
| 7. Water pollution      | G. Careless driving        |
| 8. Unemployment         | H. Plastic waste           |
| 9. Avitaminosis         | I. Misunderstanding        |
| 10. Chaos               | J. Barren forest           |
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# EXERCISE 2. CAUSE AND EFFECT

## INSTRUCTION :

Based on your answer on exercise 1, make a sentence showing a cause and effect relationship. Number one is done as example for you.

(Berdasarkan jawabanmu pada latihan satu, buatlah sebuah kalimat yang menunjukkan hubungan sebab-akibat. Nomor 1 telah diselesaikan sebagai contoh untuk mu.)

1. Global warming is caused by ozone depletion

2. ....

3. ....

4. ....

5. ....

6. ....

7. ....

8. ....

9. ....

10. ....

