

Advanced 12

SUBORDINATORS AND PREPOSITIONAL PHRASES

THAT EXPRESS CAUSE

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Read the sentences and choose Correct (C) or Incorrect (I).

1. **Since** I started my new job I've been waking up earlier each morning. **C / I**
2. The students were excited **because** their teacher had brought in a new educational game to play. **C / I**
3. **Since** you've already taken the test, can you give me some advice on what to study for? **C / I**
4. **Because**, he couldn't find the ingredients he needed, he decided to improvise and create a new recipe. **C / I**
5. **As** the weather grew colder, the leaves began to change color, turning from green to shades of red, orange, and yellow. **C / I**
6. We decided to cancel our outdoor event **due to the fact that** was unpredictable **C / I**
7. **Because of the fact that** you were late, we missed our train. **C / I**
8. **Due to** unforeseen circumstances, we have to reschedule our meeting. **C / I**
9. **Because of** the high demand, we have increased our production capacity. **C / I**
10. **Due to** the pandemic, many businesses have been forced to close. **C / I**
11. **Because of** have laziness, he failed the exam. **C / I**
12. **As a consequence of** the pandemic, many people lost their jobs. **C / I**
13. **As a result of** climate change, extreme weather events are becoming more frequent. **C / I**
14. **Because of** her outstanding performance she was offered a promotion. **C / I**
15. **As a consequence** the recent storm, our power lines have been damaged. **C / I**

