Cause & Effect Detectives

A freebie activity pack to introduce the cause & effect reading strategy.

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He dropped an egg on the floor.

It started raining during recess.

I laughed out loud.
Name: __________________

**Cause and Effect**

- I slipped and fell on my knees.
- Willy’s leash broke.
- I made an S on my spelling test.

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Cause
Why did it happen?

It rained.

Effect
What happened?

I used my umbrella.
Cause and Effect
If you Give a Mouse a Cookie

If you give a mouse a cookie → He will notice he needs a trim.

If you give a mouse paper and crayons → The refrigerator will remind him that he is thirsty.
The dog performed a trick.

It rained today.

My boots got muddy.

She gave the dog a bone.

I am hungry.

The books were too heavy.

I didn’t eat breakfast.

The bag broke.
Cause

Why did it happen?

Effect

What happened?

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I got a sunburn.

I didn’t wear sunscreen.

The popsicle melted.

I cry.

I can’t find my favorite toy.

It’s hot outside.

I laughed.

I read to a funny story.