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| **CAUSE** | **EFFECT** |
| * **Before**
 | * **After**
 |
| * **Beginning**
 | * **End/Ending**
 |
| * **First thing**
 | * **Second thing**
 |
| * **What happened first**
* **/At the beginning**
 | * **What happened last**
* **/At the end**
 |
| * **Reason**
 | * **Result / As a result**
* **/ End result**
 |
| * **Spark**
 | * **Impact**
 |
| * **Because \_\_\_\_\_**
 | * **Outcome**
 |
| * **Make happen**
 | * **End product**
 |
| * **Bring about**
 | * **Conclusion**
 |
| * **Motivation / Motive**
 | * **Consequence**
 |
| * **Root**
 | * **Aftermath**
 |
| * **Action**
 | * **Reaction**
 |
| * **Historical Circumstance**
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| * **Lead/led to**
 |  |
| * Source
 |  |
| * Foundation
 |  |
| * Basis
 |  |
| * Origin
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| * Trigger
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| * Initiate
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| * Origin
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| * Setup
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**Cause/Effect Meaning, Words, & Phrases**

**Cause-Effect Words to Look for When**

**Reading or to Use When Writing:**

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| **WORD/PHRASE** | **REFERS TO** | **Example Sentence**(cause OR effectis highlighted) |
| * Historical circumstance
 | * Cause
 | **The historical circumstances** surrounding Hitler’s rise to power in Germany **were poor economic conditions.** |
| * Because of (this/that), \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Cause
 | **Because of poor economic conditions**, Hitler was able to take power in Germany. |
| * As a result of \_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Cause
 | **As result of poor economic conditions in Germany**, Hitler was able to take power in Germany. |
| * Due to \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Cause
 | **Due to poor economic conditions**, Hitler was able to take power in Germany. |
| * One cause of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 | * Cause
 | **One cause of** Hitler taking power in Germany was **poor economic conditions.** |
| * Contribute to
 | * Cause
 | **Poor economic conditions contributed to** Hitler’s rise to power in Germany. |
| * Affect
 | * Cause
 | **Poor economic conditions affected** Hitler’s rise to power in Germany. |
| * Influence (the development of)
 | * Cause (sometimes for the verb affect”)
 | * **Poor economic conditions influenced the development** **of** Hitler’s rise to power in Germany.
* **Poor economic conditions had an influence on** Hitler’s rise to power in Germany.
* Hitler’s rise to power **was influenced by poor economic conditions in Germany.**
 |
| * As a result, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions.  **As a result**, **Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * As a consequence, / Consequently, \_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions.  **As a consequence /consequently**, **Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * Thus, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions.  **Thus**, **Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * Hence, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions.  **Hence**, **Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * Therefore, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions.  **Therefore**, **Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * So, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions.  **So**, **Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * Due to this/that, \_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions. **Due to this, Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * One effect of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 | * Effect
 | **One effect of** Germany’s poor economic conditions was that **Hitler was able to take power.** |
| * For this/that/these reasons, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Effect
 | Germany had poor economic conditions. **For this reason, Hitler was able to take power in Germany.** |
| * The reason that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
 | * Both cause and effect
 | **The reason that Hitler was able to take power in Germany was because Germany had poor economic conditions.** |