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1. We turned up the heat since it was getting cold.
 cause effect
2. Tommy and Matthew are good friends because they have many common interests and hobbies.



5. Our apartment is on the 11th floor, therefore, we have a great view of the city.
 cause effect
6. Because I helped my mother, she was able to finish her work quickly.
 cause effect
7. It was a very windy day, therefore, we were able to fly our kite.
 cause effect
8. Since the class was good this week, they were able to have movie Friday.
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