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5. The puppy Maya’s family adopted was the smallest in the litter; therefore, they had to take special care of her. (this led to, since, therefore)

6. When Benjamin was little, he bit into an apple and found a worm. For this reason, Benjamin likes his apples cut into slices before he eats them. (Due to, On account of, For this reason)

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