

1) Since Marcy didn't set her alarm to the correct time, she was late to work and missed a very important meeting. What is the EFFECT in this sentence?

1. Marcy didn't set her alarm on time
2. She was late to work
3. She missed a very important meeting
4. Both B and C

2) Due to sending home various notes from the office and writing reminders in our planner, MLR students brought in a total of 435 packages of pasta for the school-wide service project.

What is the CAUSE?

1. The students brought in packages of pasta.
2. The students at MLR were participating in a project.
3. The students at MLR were very generous.
4. Notes went home and reminders were written in planners.

3) Due to sending home various notes from the office and writing reminders in their planners, the students brought in a total of 435 packages of pasta for the school-wide service project.

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4) Based on the information in the passage, which statement best explains why Trump became a real estate developer?

1. He wanted to make a lot of money.
2. He liked designing and constructing buildings.
3. He wanted to follow in the footsteps of his father.
4. He was given a large building as a gift when he graduated.

5) In recent decades, cities have grown so large that now about 50% of the Earth's population lives in urban areas. There are several reasons for this occurrence. First, the increasing industrialization of the nineteenth century resulted in the creation of many factory jobs, which tended to be located in cities. These jobs, with their promise of a better material life, attracted many people from rural areas. Second, there were many schools established to educate the children of the new factory laborers. The promise of a better education persuaded many families to leave farming communities and move to the cities. Finally, as the cities grew, people established places of leisure, entertainment, and culture, such as sports stadiums, theaters, and museums. For many people, these facilities made city life appear more interesting than life on the farm, and therefore drew them away from rural communities.

What is another major EFFECT of industrialization?

1. Most people ended up thinking life on the farm was more interesting than the life in the city.
2. Many families stayed in the country
3. More people moved to the city.
4. Less schools were built

6) What was one major EFFECT of industrialization other than the one you choose in the previous question?

7) On February 7, 1867, Laura Ingalls was born in the Big Woods near Pepin, Wisconsin. She was the second daughter born to Charles and Caroline Ingalls. Laura lived through a difficult period of history and overcame a variety of struggles. Yet through it all, she still managed to become a great and valuable author of children's books. It is through her contributions that many children have learned about life on the frontier.

Laura moved more than once in her life. In her early life it was always by covered wagon. Laura's father was inspired by the Homestead Act of 1862 which made it possible to obtain 160 acres of land with certain provisions. With this in mind he took his family to Montgomery County in Kansas and settled there. The land that they had settled on was technically Native American Territory, so not long after they moved there they were forced to move out. In 1871, they moved back to Wisconsin. In 1874, the family settled in Plum Creek, Minnesota, and lived there for several years. Later, the Ingalls moved to the town of De Smet in Dakota Territory. They were the first settlers in the town. While here, the Ingalls once again attempted to get land through the provisions of the Homestead Act. They succeeded, and in 1886 Charles Ingalls officially had a farm of his own.

The settlers of the frontier faced many challenges including the threat of horrendous weather, starvation, plagues, and sickness. For example, in 1874 there was a giant Grasshopper Plague that swept in a Z shape across the lands of Oregon, Dakota Territory, Kansas, and Missouri. Lakes of grasshoppers three inches deep were not uncommon. The grasshoppers devoured everything around them. They ate the crops, the vegetables, clothing, and even each other. Many of the settlers had to leave the lands due to the plague.

Which sentence from the passage shows cause and effect?

1. Laura moved more than once in her life.
2. Later, the Ingalls moved to the town of De Smet in Dakota Territory.
3. The land that they had settled on was technically Native American Territory, so not long after they moved there they were forced to move out.
4. Many of the settlers had to leave the lands due to the plague.

List a major effect life on the frontier had on Laura Ingalls? _____

8) Why was life hard for settlers that lived on the frontier? Give TWO examples from the text.

9) Due to their incredible force and unpredictability, floods can cause tremendous damage. They can ruin houses, roads and buildings. Floods can take down trees and cause mudslides. It often leaves mud, sand and debris behind. It can take months to clean up after a flood.

What is the EFFECT?

1. Floods can cause a lot of damage
2. Floods happen in many areas without warning.
3. Floods are strong and unpredictable.
4. Flood damage is devastating

10) Mrs. Marcozzi didn't remind the students to wear their school spirit shirts for Friday's Fanfare, therefore, many of the students forgot. What is the EFFECT?

1. Mrs. Marcozzi didn't remind the students to wear their school spirit shirts
2. Many students forgot to wear their school spirit shirts.
3. There was a Fanfare celebration on Friday.
4. The students weren't required to wear their school spirit shirts.