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Complex Cause-and-Effect Links

Directions: Below is a chart with **causes** in one column and **effects** in another. Your job is to connect each cause and effect into a **complex sentence** using one of the conjunctions: **because, since, or as**. Write your completed sentences in the third column.

Cause	Effect	Complex Sentence (with because/since/as)
1. It was raining heavily	We canceled the picnic	
2. She studied all week	She earned a high grade	
3. The alarm clock didn't ring	He was late for school	
4. I forgot my homework	The teacher was disappointed	
5. We were hungry	We ordered a large pizza	

Challenge Sentences: Choose one of the following causes and create your own effect. Then, write a complex sentence that connects them.

1. The electricity went out
2. I couldn't find my backpack
3. The dog barked loudly