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Cupcake Sequence Answer Key

Correct Passage:

First, Ella gathered all the ingredients she needed—flour, sugar, eggs, and butter. Next, she mixed the dry ingredients in one bowl and the wet ingredients in another. After combining the two mixtures, she poured the batter into cupcake pans. Then, she placed the pans into the oven and waited for them to bake. Finally, Ella decorated the cupcakes with colorful frosting and sprinkles.

Teacher Guide/Notes:

- Reinforce that **cloze activities** help students focus on recognizing and applying sequence words.
- Acceptable variations: If students swap *Then* and *Next* in the middle but maintain logical order, teachers may give partial credit while explaining which one best fits.
- Encourage students to check if their completed passage “flows smoothly” like a real set of directions.