

Wednesday

LO: To write cause and effect sentences.

This lesson we are going to be using our cause and effect learning from yesterday to build sentences that we can use in our information texts.

Lets remind our selves cause and effect?

A cause-effect relationship is one in which a certain event
(the cause) makes another event happen (the effect).

The weather forecast called for rain, so he
took his umbrella.

These are linked together by causal
conjunctions. Can you remember any causal
conjunctions from yesterday?

Can you remember any causal conjunctions from yesterday?

Causal Conjunctions and Adverbials



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Check out this video for
extra reminder

[https://www.youtube.com/
watch?v=OnSEFSk5VgQ](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OnSEFSk5VgQ)

Our task today is to write some cause and effect sentences in our book related to our explanation text on rafts.

We will link this to a section in our explanation text called how rafts work.

Lets spend 5 minutes to remind our selves how rafts work, think back to your own raft that you made last week, *how did it function?, what does it do?*

*Draw your
mind map in
the middle of
the page*



How do rafts work?

Needs to be
strong to
survive rough
waters

Float on top of
water

How do rafts work?

Could be
steered with
oars or a sail

Carries people
and other
objects across
water

Float on top of water

How can we turn this raft fact into a cause and effect sentence?

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Here is an example of how You can transform a simple fact into a full *cause* and *effect* sentence.

*Rafts to travel on water
therefore they must be able
to float.*

Copy this cause and effect
sentence into your book
under your L.O

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Use this slide to help you fill in the gaps and finish your sentences for the next few slides.

Lets transform this into a cause and effect sentence .

"Could be steered with oars or a sail"

It is important that a raft travels in the right direction _____ you need to steer it with

Add a causal conjunction into the red gap then finish the sentence where the green dots are and copy it into your book.

Lets transform this into a cause and effect sentence.

"Carries people and other objects across water"

Most rafts have a flat platform
this allows them to

Add a causal conjunction into the red gap then finish the sentence where the green dots are and copy it into your book.

Now I would like you to write 2 more independant cause and effect sentences about rafts in your book.

Your sentences could be about.

- *A raft capsizing and what to do.*
 - *How to look after your raft.*
- *Why to test and check your raft before you use it*