

Name _____ Date _____

Draw the Main Ideas

To help find the cause and effect of each statement, draw a picture or symbol that represents the two main ideas in each sentence.

Use the pictures to think about the cause and effect.



The **cause** is the picture that would happen first.

The **effect** is what happened in the picture after the cause.

Draw a picture for each sentence, then write the cause and effect.

1. The sight of the snake halfway under the door, caused Nicole's mom to freeze where she stood.

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Cause: _____

Effect: _____

2. My dog, Mocha, has foul breath that makes me pinch my nose when she comes near me.

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Cause: _____

Effect: _____

3. I gave the photographer my widest smile when he said "Say cheese!"

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Cause: _____

Effect: _____