

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:**

The first part of the sentences below tell what happened (the effect) in the book, *How Santa Got His Job*. Complete each sentence by telling the cause.

**How Santa Got His Job**  
Cause and Effect

People didn't believe Santa had cleaned their chimneys because \_\_\_\_\_

Santa had to quit working at the all night diner because \_\_\_\_\_

The elves hired Santa because \_\_\_\_\_

Santa keeps his emergency kit with him because \_\_\_\_\_



**Reading Tip!**

Remember, the **cause** is **why** something happened. The **effect** is **what** happened.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:**

The first part of the sentences below tell what happened (the effect) in the book, *How Santa Got His Job*. Complete each sentence by telling the cause.

**How Santa Got His Job**  
Cause and Effect

People didn't believe Santa had cleaned their chimneys because Santa never got dirty.

Santa had to quit working at the all night diner because he gained a lot of weight.

The elves hired Santa because he offered to deliver their toys to children all over the world.

Santa keeps his emergency kit with him because no job is perfect.



**Reading Tip!**

Remember, the **cause** is **why** something happened. The **effect** is **what** happened.