



THE EXPRESSION OF THE CAUSE

“ We had to get back home **because** it started to snow heavily”

“ **As** it started to snow heavily, we had to get back home”

“ **Since** it started to snow heavily, we had to get back home”

“ We had to get back home { **because of** / **due to** } the heavy snow”

Note : 1.- As / since / because. (conjunctions)
2.- Because of / due to (prepositions)

PRACTICE

Make one single sentence by using the conjunctions *as* and *because* or the prepositions *because of* or *due to*. Write both possibilities in each sentence.

1.- We didn't go out. It was raining very hard.

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2.- My parents will punish me. My marks are very disappointing.

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3.- She has 10 houses and 5 cars. She earns a lot of money.

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4.- She is very beautiful and kind and all the boys go after her.

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5.- Nobody likes him. He is very bad-tempered.

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6.- They didn't like the film. The film had a very sad end.

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7.- My teacher gave a negative mark. We have behaved very bad during this semester.

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8.- A lot of people in the Third World die very young. They are hungry, thirsty and ill

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9.- We decided not to go camping. It was foggy, rainy, wind and stormy.

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10.-It was very crowded and noisy in the library. We couldn't concentrate on our project.

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