Cause & Effect Study Guide

Instructions: Select from the “causes” column on the left the cause that led to the effect in the “effects” column on the right. Put the letter of each effect next to its cause in the space provided.

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| Answer | Cause | Effect |
|  | 1. In 1941, during World War II, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt was encouraged by scientists to create the first atomic bomb before Nazi Germany did.  2. President Roosevelt and his advisors wanted Japan to surrender and end the war.  3. The uranium-based bomb dropped on Hiroshima exploded with a force equal to 13,000 tons of TNT. The plutonium fueled bomb dropped on Nagasaki exploded with a force equal to 20,000 tons of TNT.  4. There were many people who survived the explosions, but they were also exposed to significant amounts of intense radiation.  5. Sadako Sasaki was two years old at the time the atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima, and she was exposed to deadly radiation.  6. Sadako’s father told her about a legend that stated her wish for good health could come true if she could fold one thousand paper cranes.  7. Sadako succumbed to her illness just like many other children who were exposed to the radiation from the bombs.  8. On the morning of September 11, 2001, Al Qaeda terrorists hijacked airplanes and flew them into both buildings of the World Trade Center in New York City.  9. Twenty-six Japanese citizens died in the September 11th terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center.  10. In 2007, a Japanese man by the name of Masahiro Sasaki presented one of Sadako’s original origami paper cranes to the Tribute World Trade Center Visitor Center in New York City | 1. A. Bomb survivors continued to die from bomb-related injuries or illnesses for many years.   B. Bombs were dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki  C. At the age of eleven, Sadako developed leukemia.  D. Sadako’s classmates raised funds to create a memorial to her and to all the other children who died as a result of bombing attacks.  E. The Manhattan Project  F. Families and friends of the lost Fuji Bank employees folded 10,000 paper cranes and sent them to the Tribute WTC Visitor Center  G. Sadako began folding the paper cranes using whatever paper was available including wrapping paper from get-well gifts and medicine-bottle wrappers.  H. The impact and damaged caused both towers (110 stories each) to collapse. 2,973 people lost their lives as part of the terrorist attacks.  I. Sadako’s cranes serve “symbol of the Sasaki family’s hopes for compassion and peace.”  J. The explosions caused intense heat, shock waves, blast winds, and deadly radiation causing the deaths of 210,000 people. |

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