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consequently	however	therefore

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4. Robert cleaned the garage. His brother mowed the lawn.

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Student's answers will vary.
Example of correct answers:

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We arrived late to the picnic; consequently, there was nothing left to eat.
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2. Winnie did an excellent job. Others also could have done well.

Winnie did an excellent job; however, others also could have done well.
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3. The class wanted a spring trip to the water park. They voted to raise the money themselves.

The class wanted a spring trip to the water park; therefore, they voted to raise the

money themselves.
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Robert cleaned the garage; meanwhile, his brother mowed the lawn.
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The oak tree had died years ago; eventually, it fell over in a windstorm
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Jim thought he could win the race; indeed, it was worth a try.
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