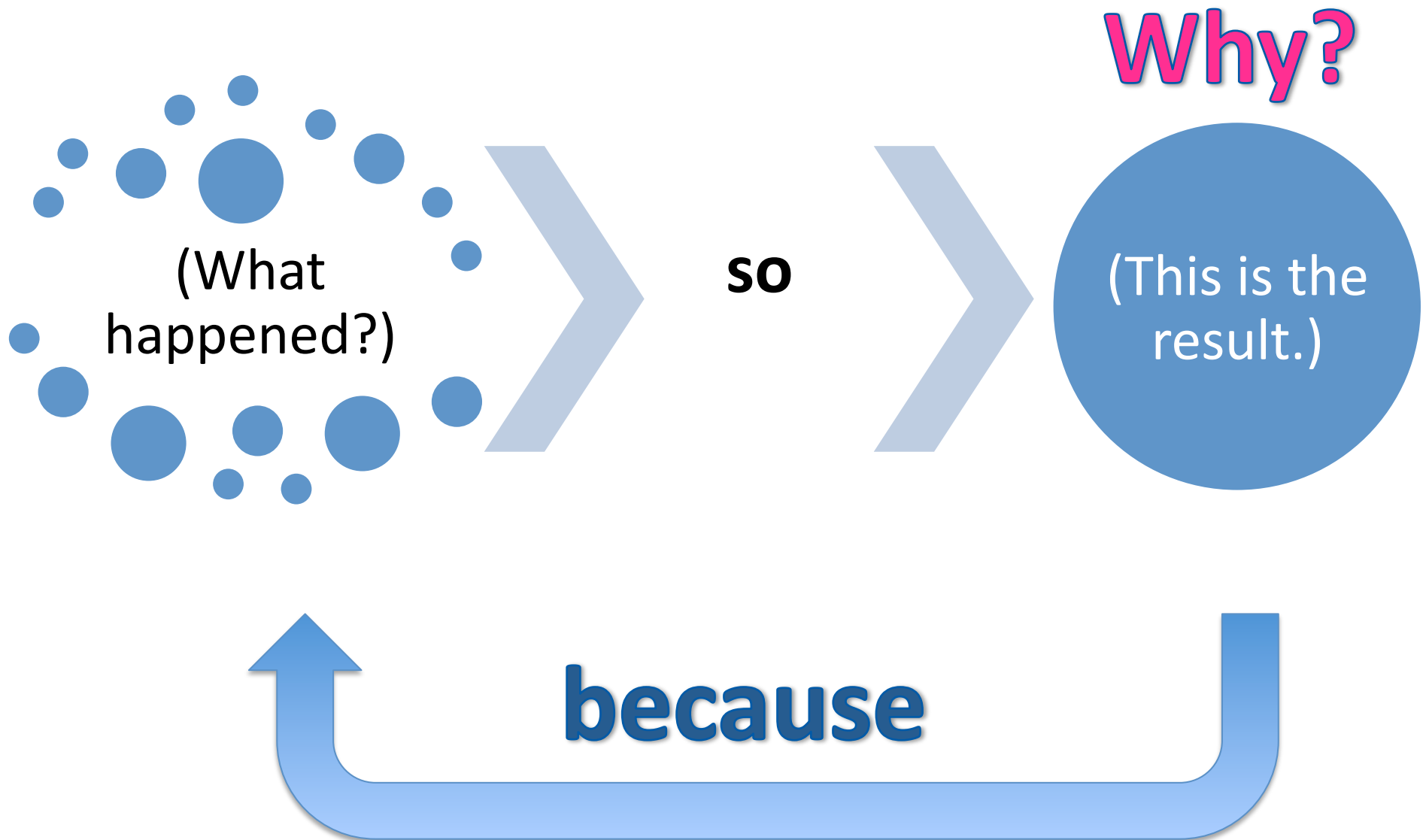


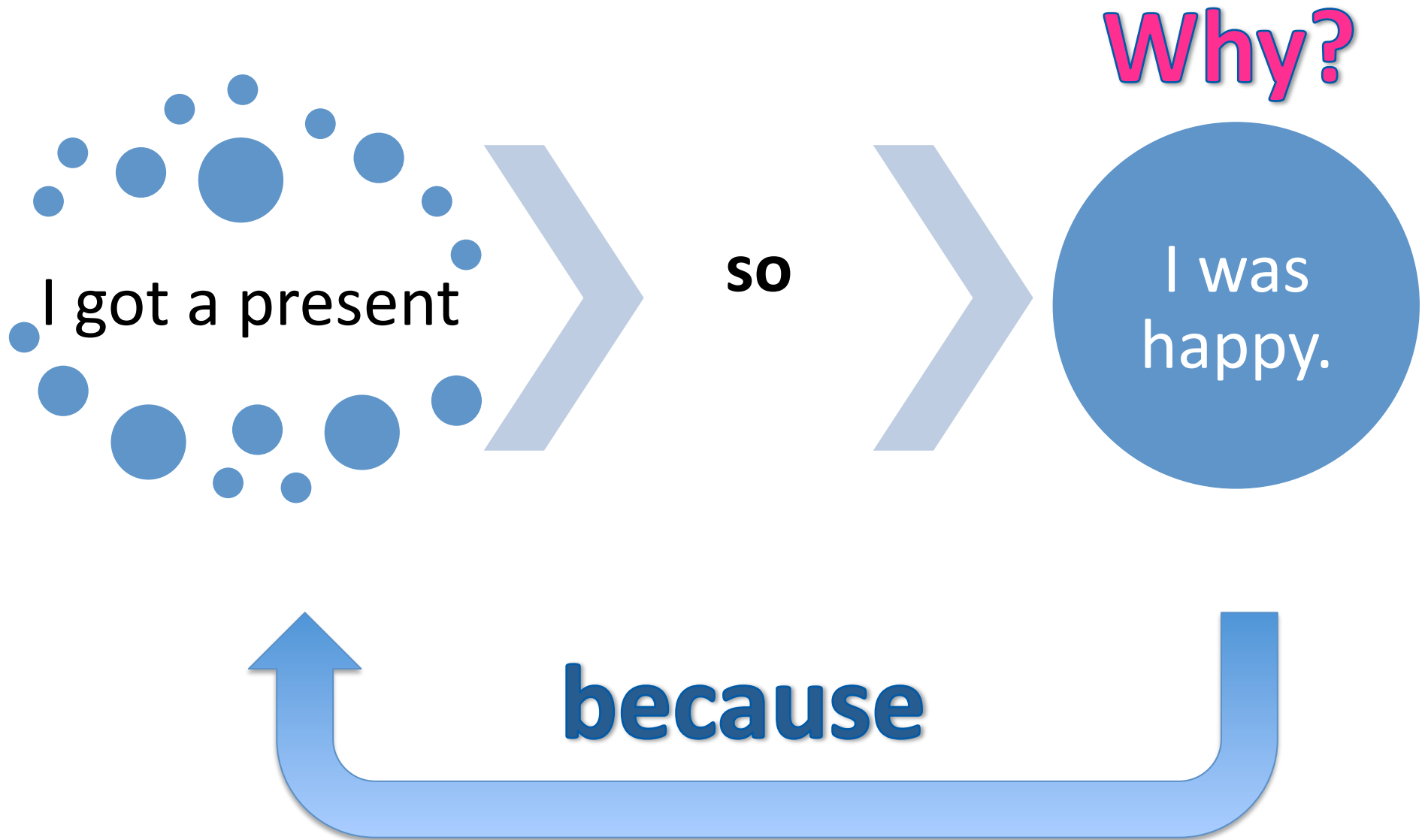
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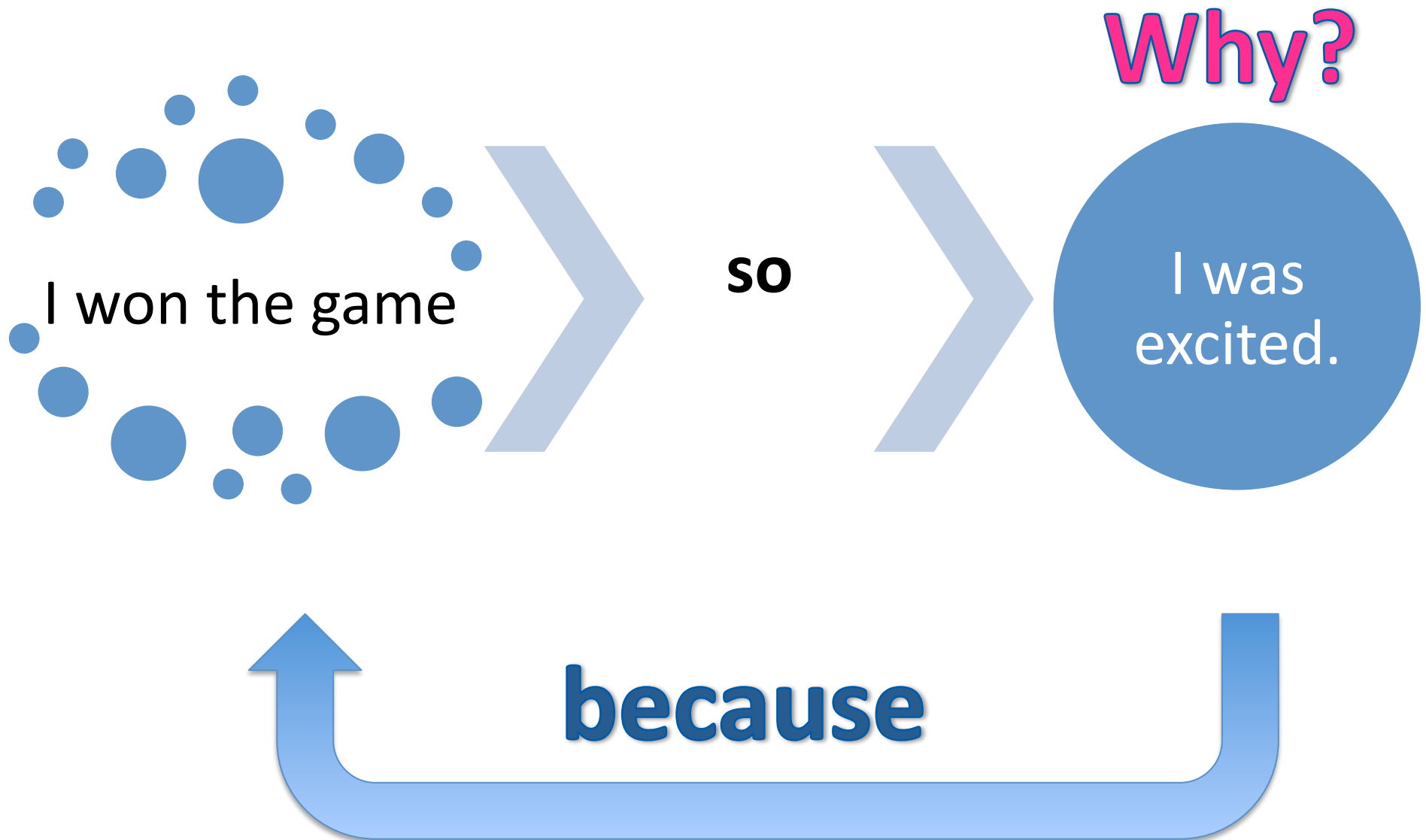
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# Statement & Question - Answer

- I got a present so I was happy.  
–**Why were you happy?**
- I was happy because I got a present.

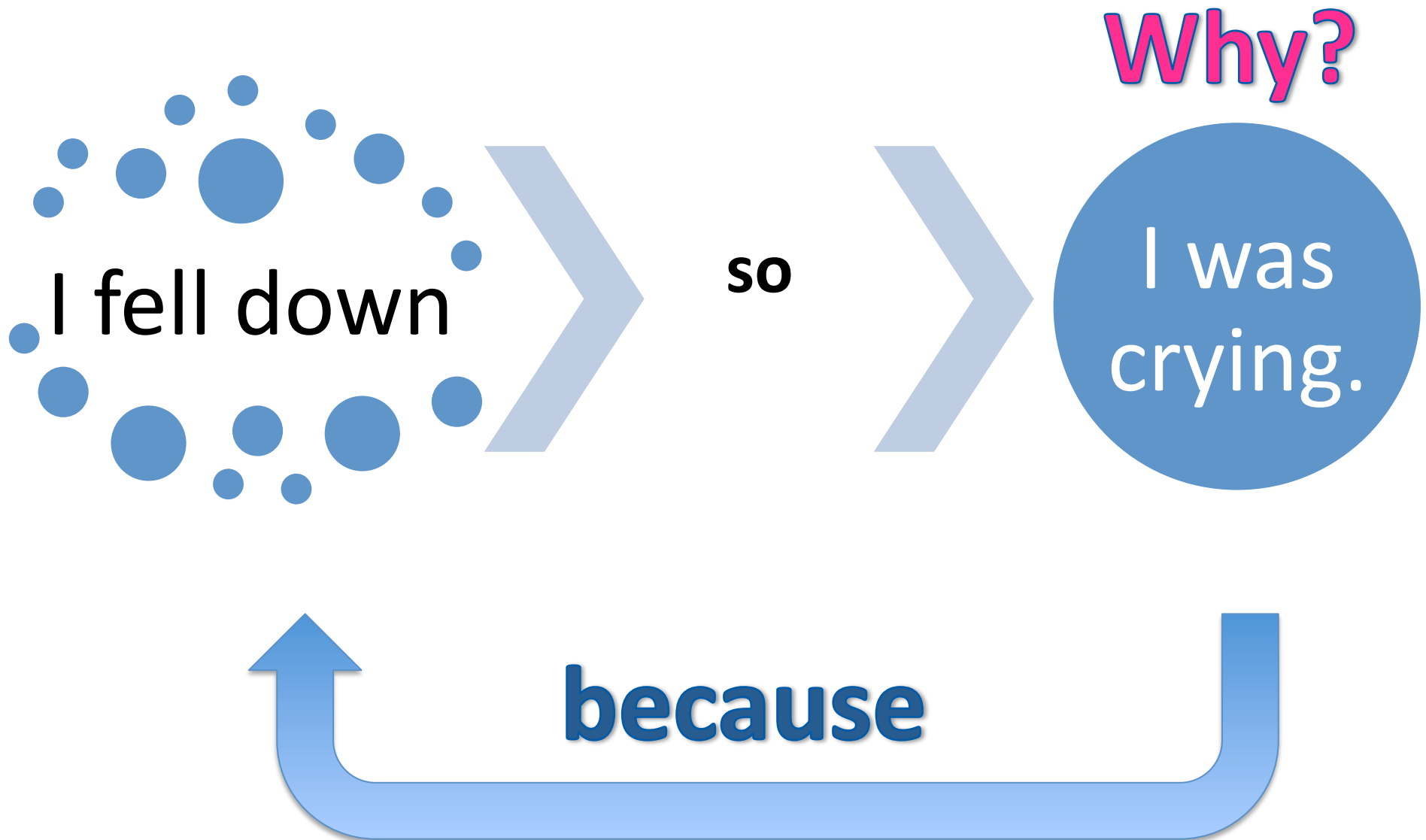
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# Statement & Question - Answer

- I won the game so I was excited.  
–**Why were you excited?**
- I was excited because I won the game.

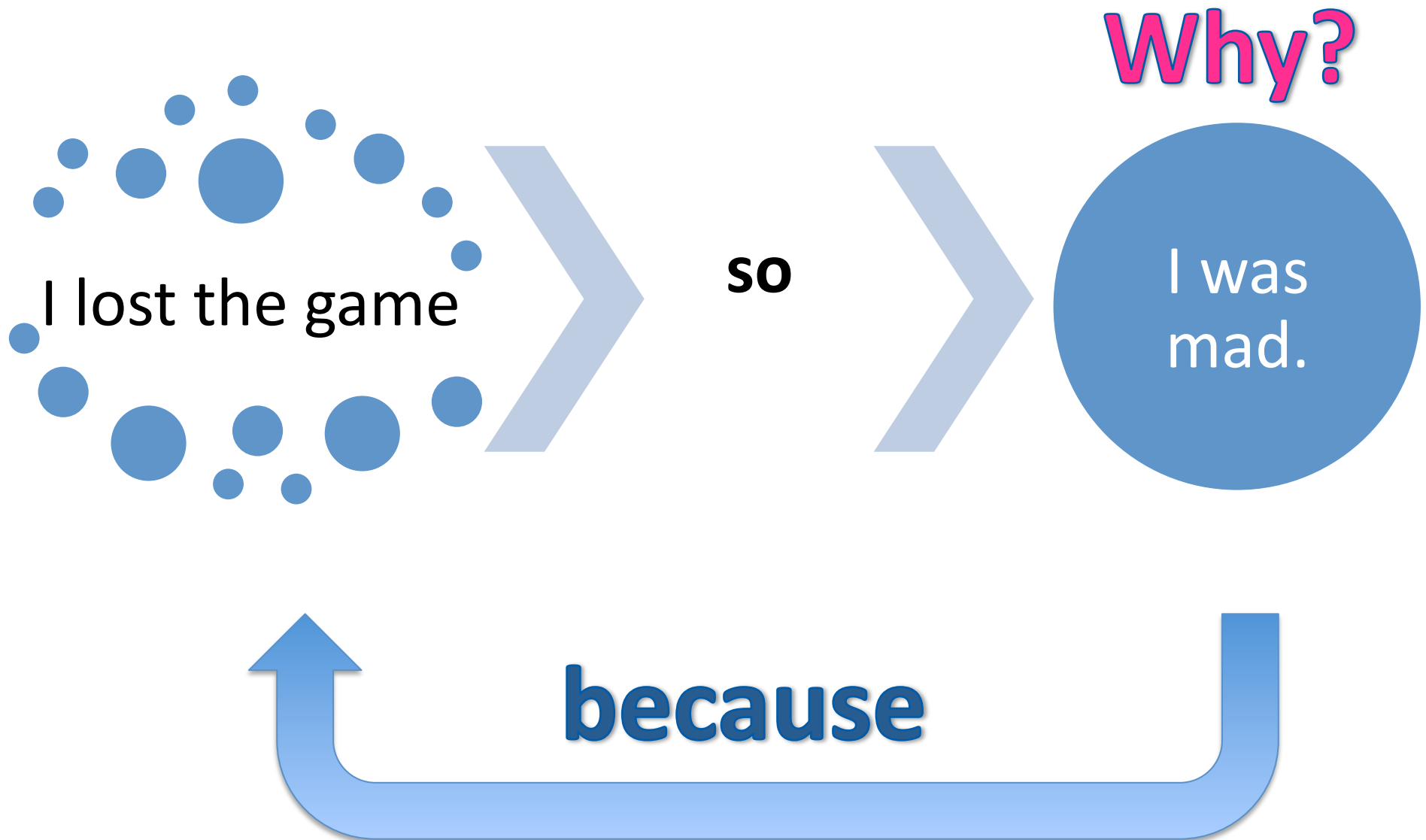
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# Statement & Question - Answer

- I fell down so I was crying.  
–**Why were you crying?**
- I was crying because I fell down.

# Answering "Why" Questions



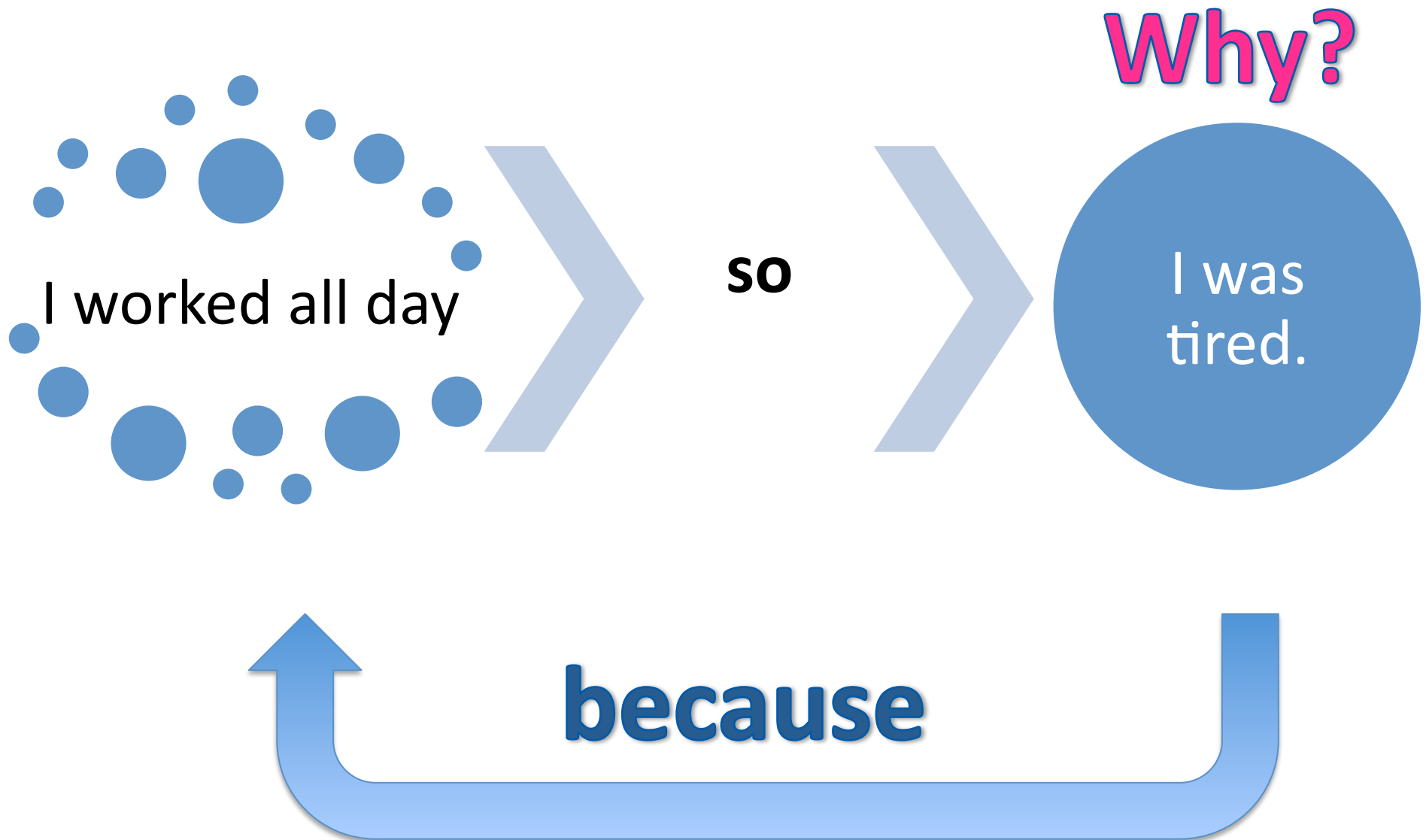
# Statement & Question - Answer

- I lost the game so I was mad.

**–Why were you mad?**

- I was mad because I lost the game.

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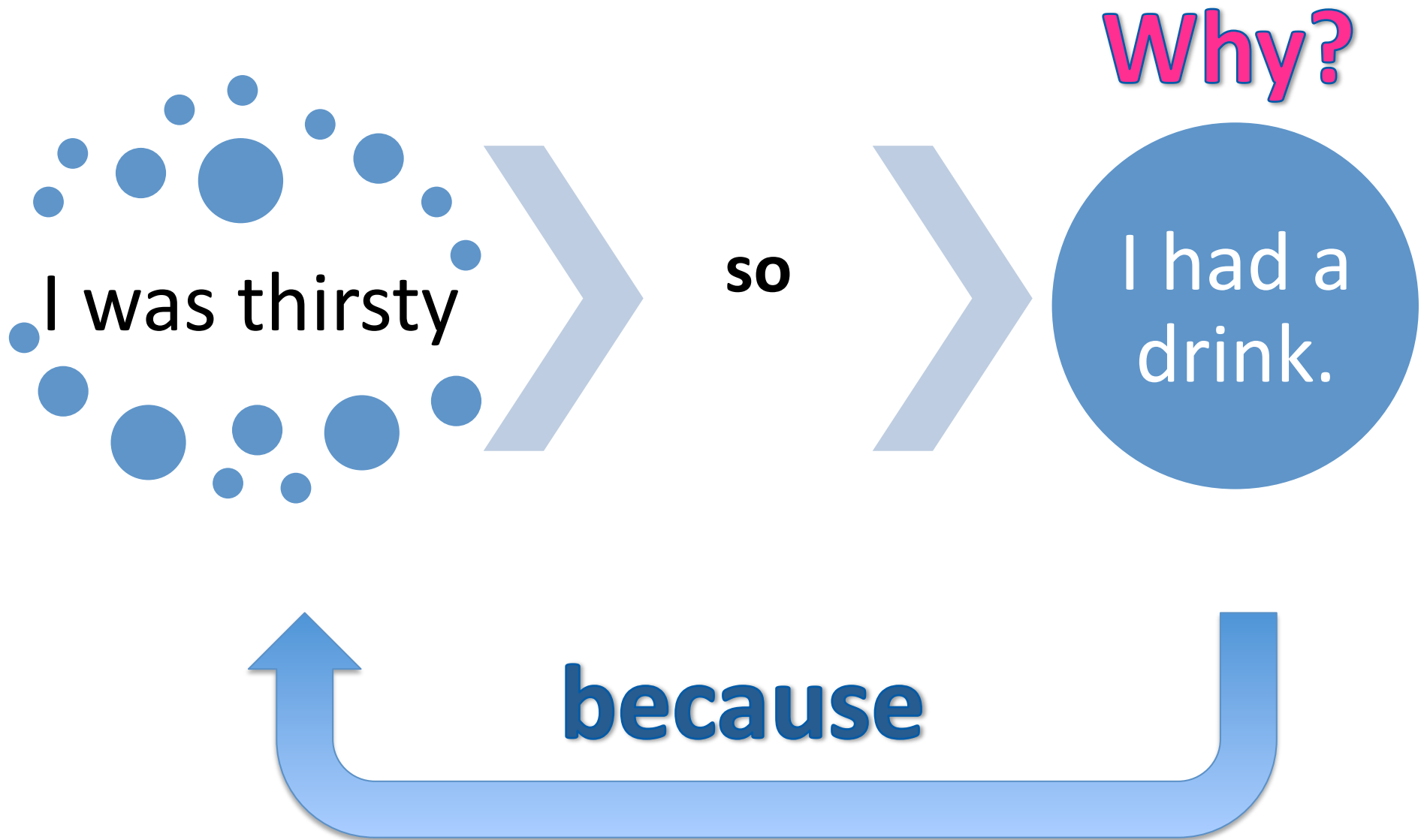
# Statement & Question - Answer

- I worked all day so I was tired.

**–Why were you tired?**

- I was tired because I worked all day.

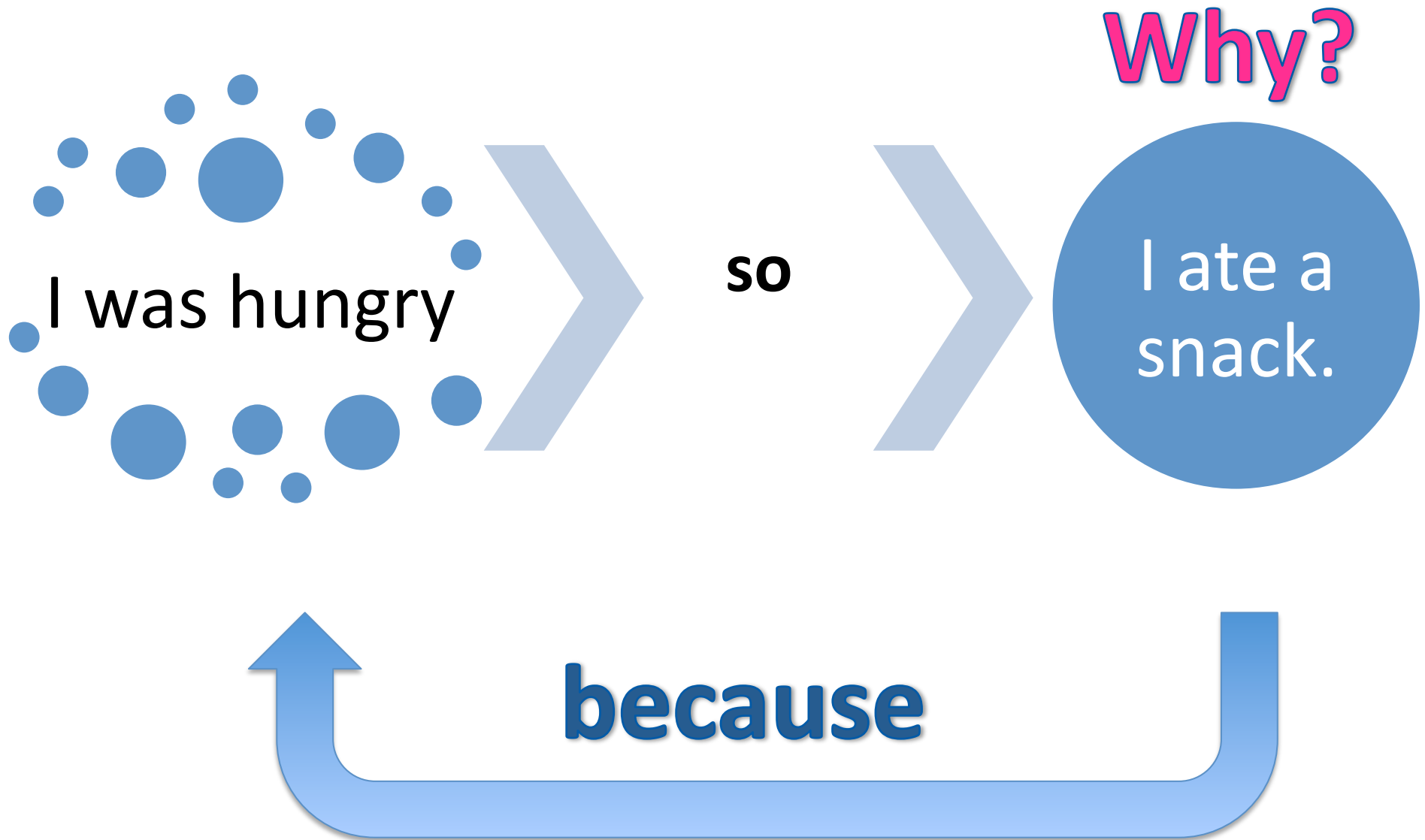
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# Statement & Question - Answer

- I was thirsty so I had a drink.  
–**Why did you have a drink?**
- I had a drink because I was thirsty.

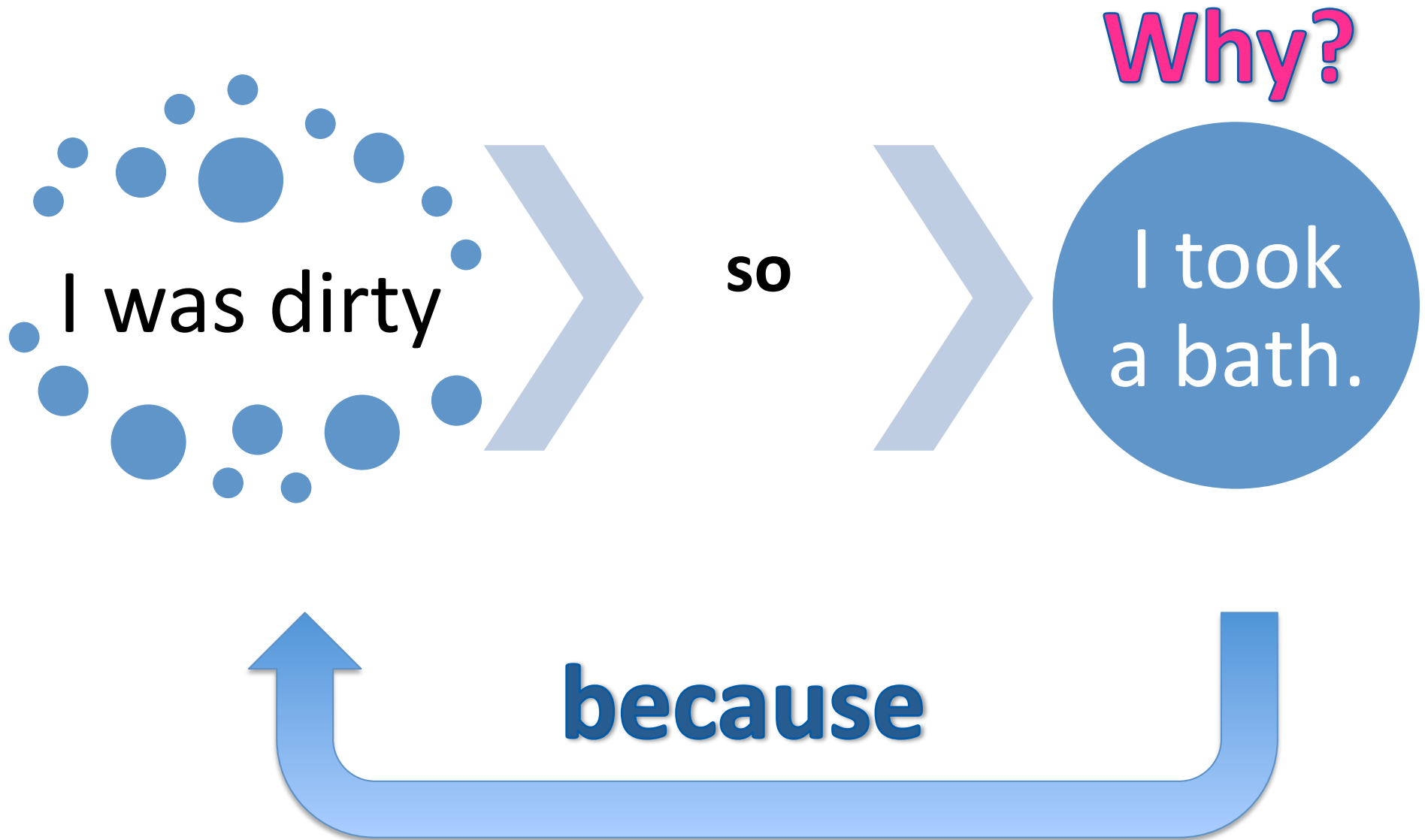
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# Statement & Question - Answer

- I was hungry so I had a snack.
  - Why did you have a snack?**
- I had a snack because I was hungry.

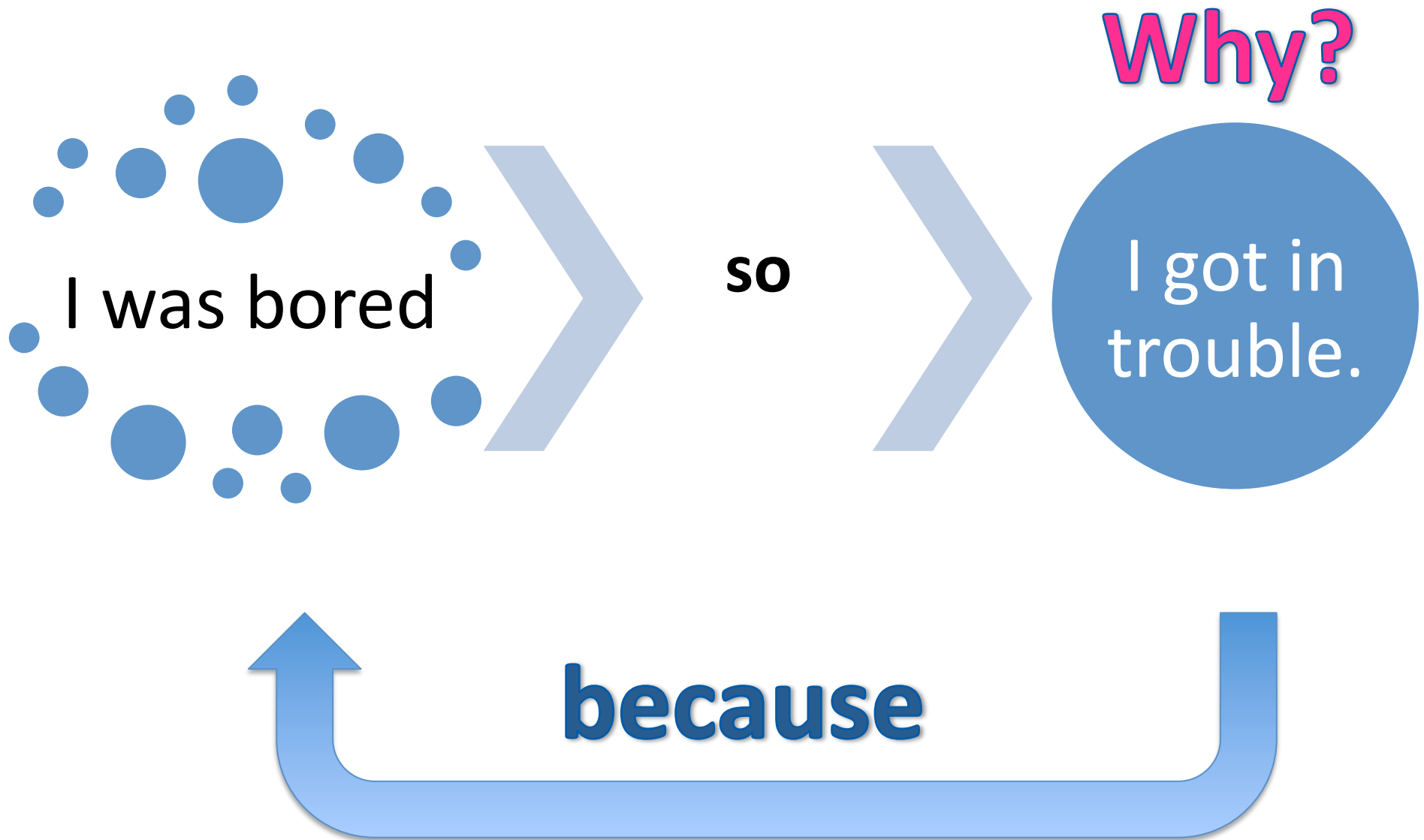
# Answering "Why" Questions



# Statement & Question - Answer

- I was dirty so I took a bath.  
–**Why did you take a bath?**
- I took a bath because I was dirty.

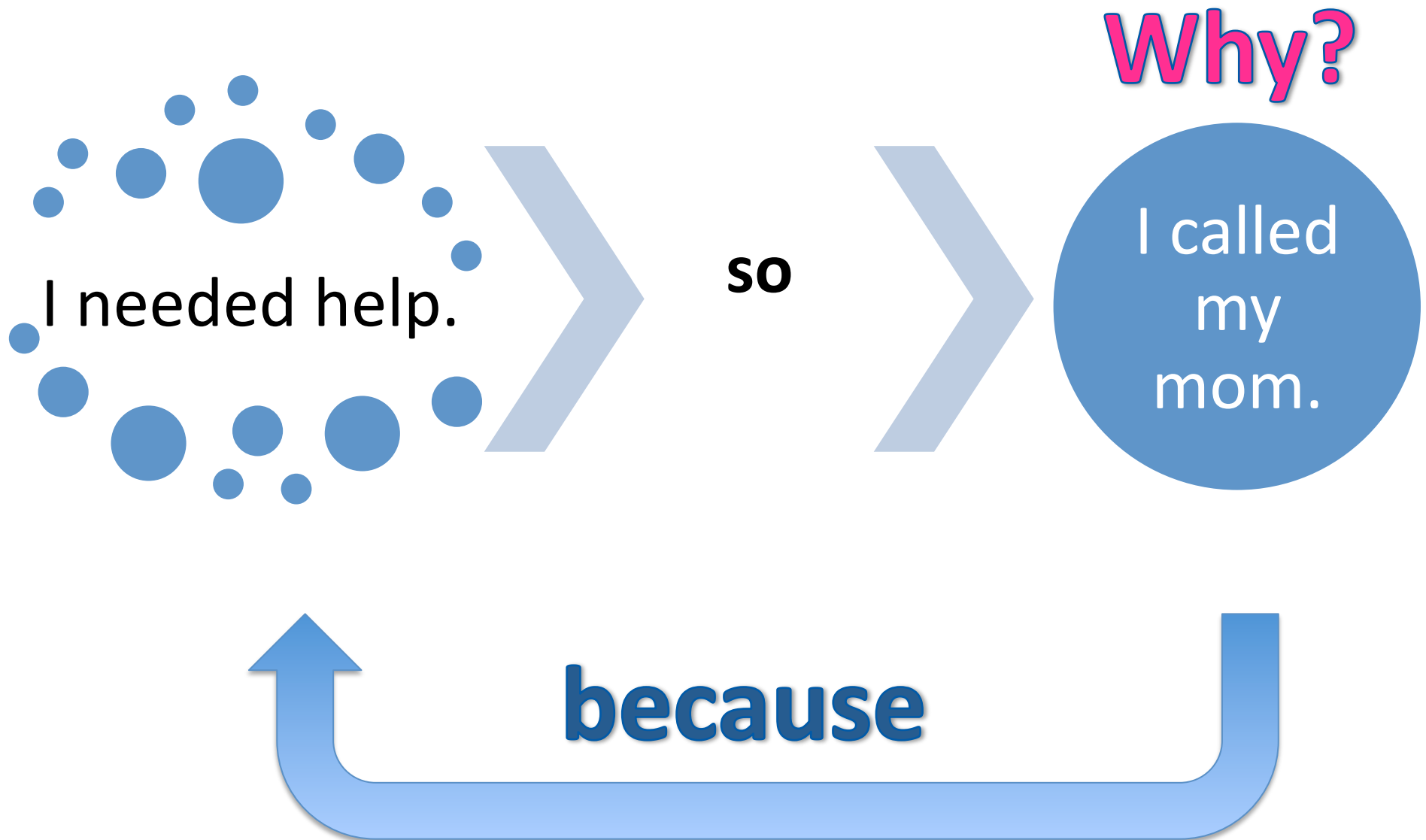
# Answering "Why" Questions



# Statement & Question - Answer

- I was bored so I got in trouble.
  - Why did you get in trouble?**
- I got in trouble because I was bored.

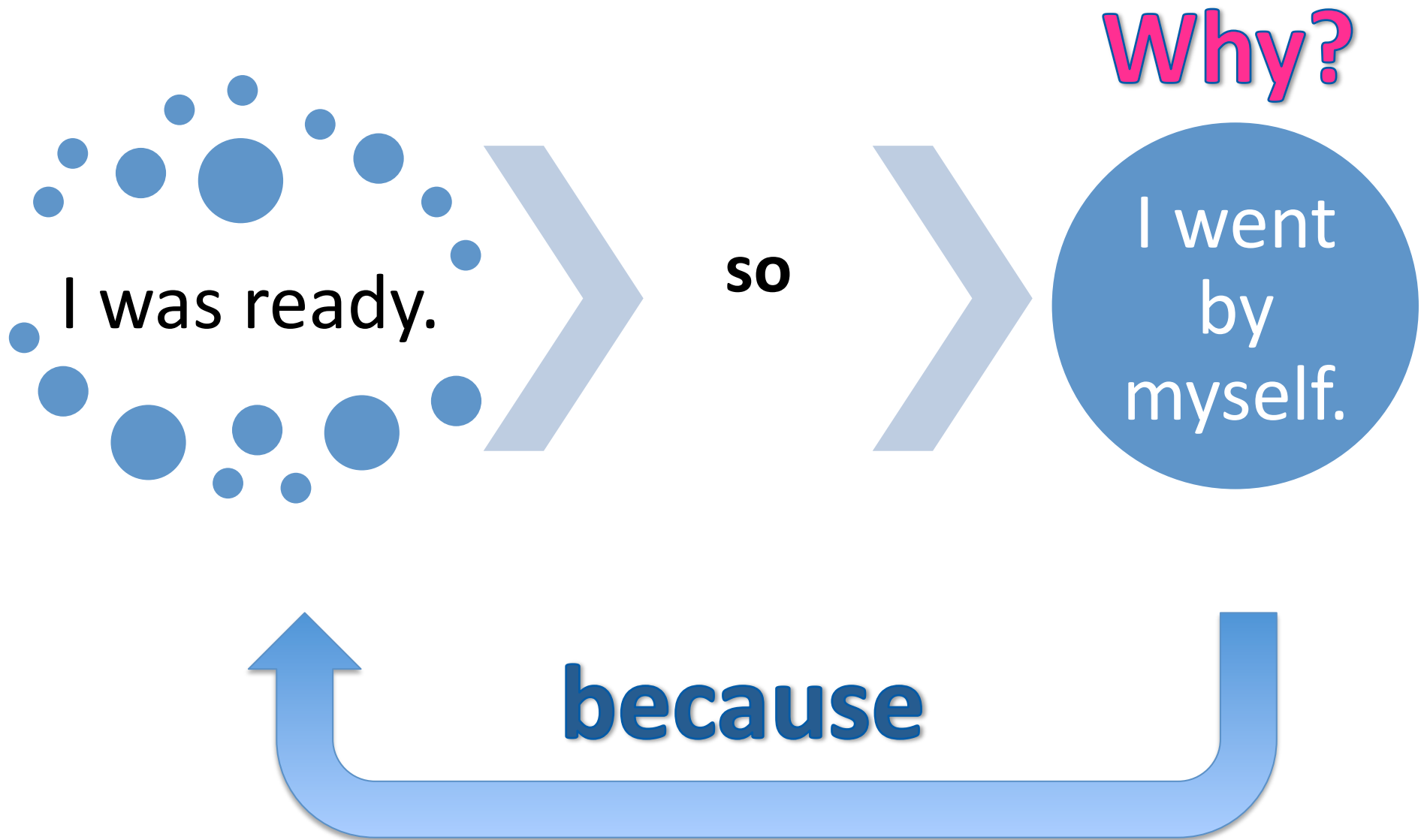
# Answering "Why" Questions



# Statement & Question - Answer

- I needed help so I called my mom.  
–**Why did you call your mom?**
- I called my mom because I needed help.

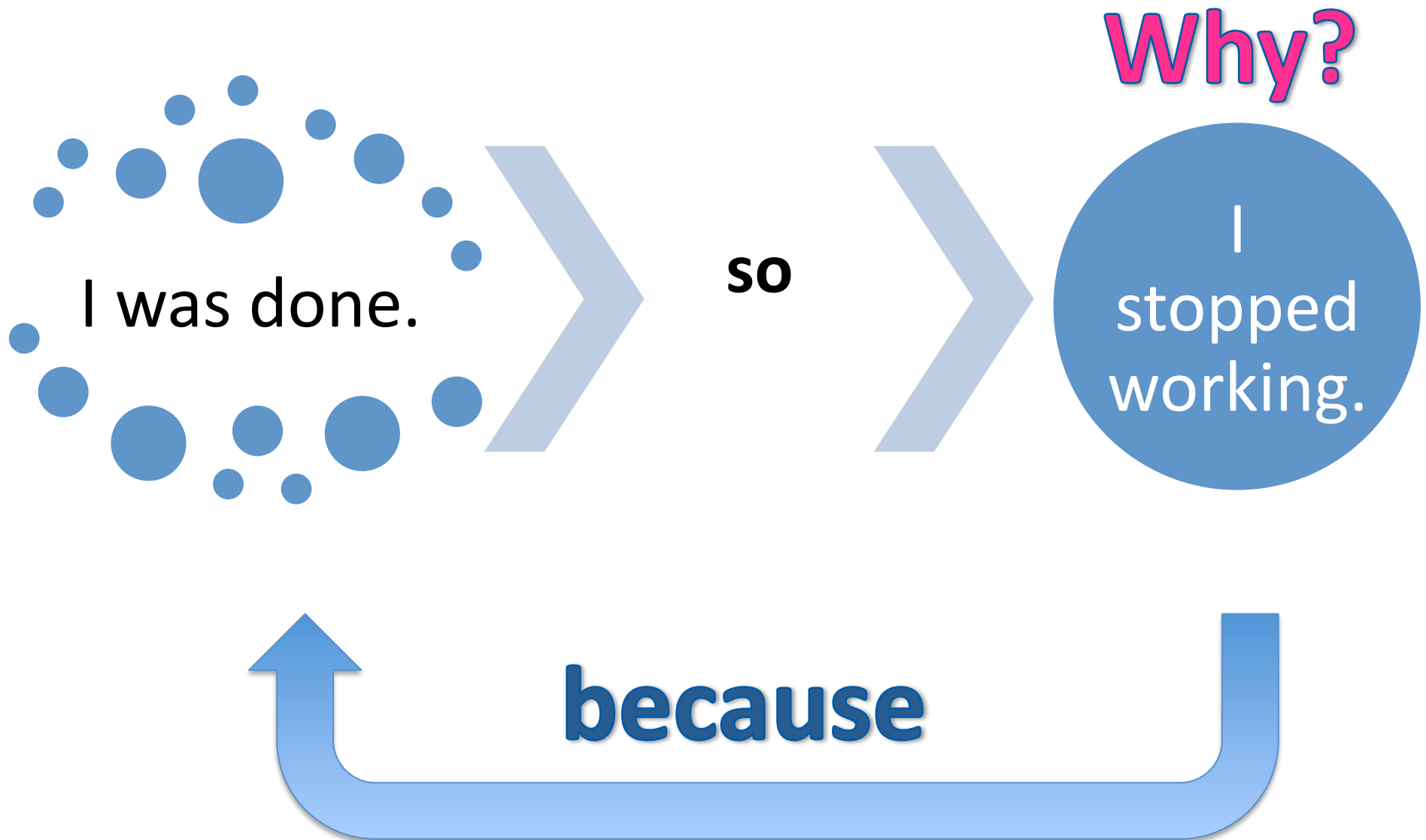
# Answering "Why" Questions



# Statement & Question - Answer

- I was ready so I went by myself.  
–**Why did you go by yourself?**
- I went by myself because I was ready.

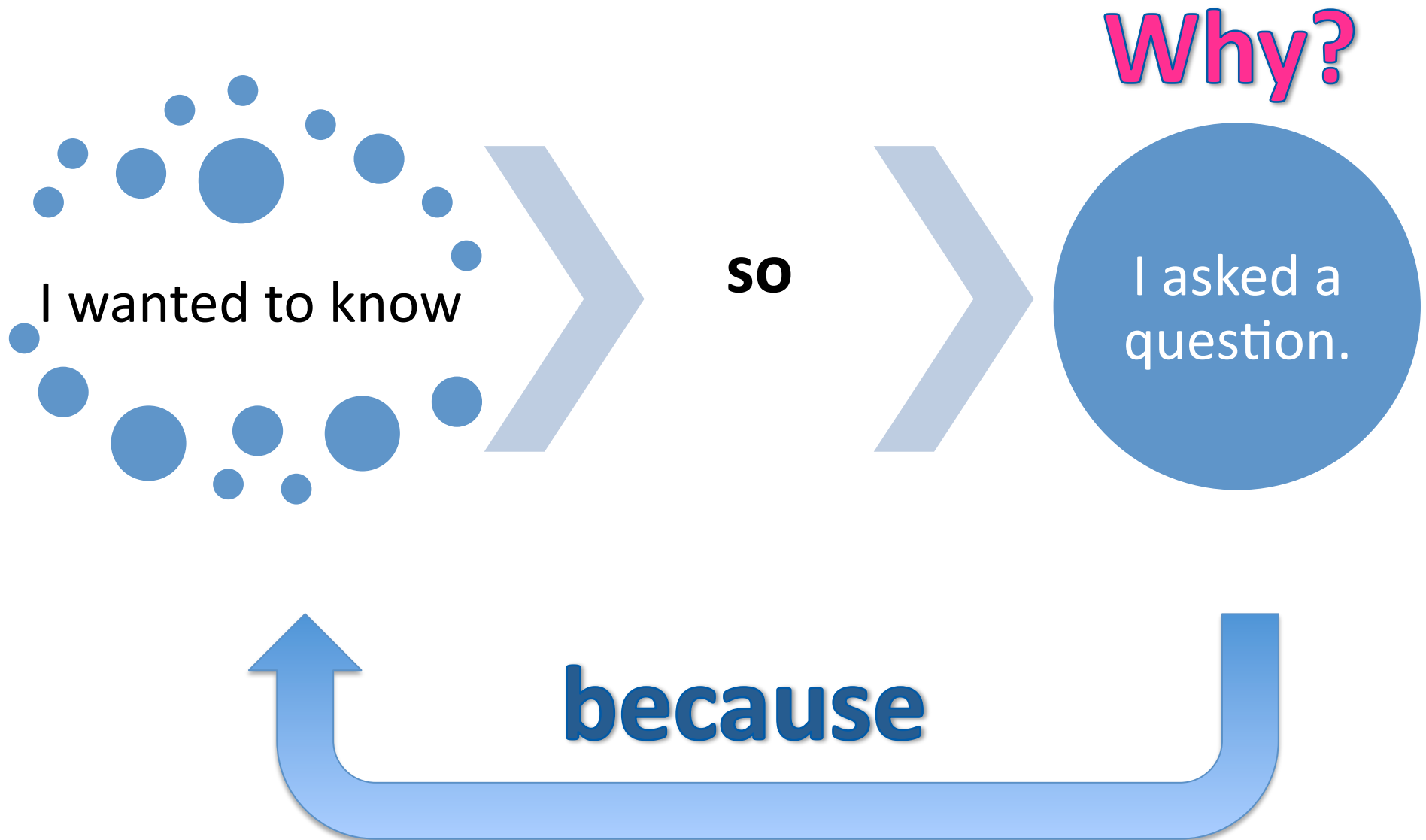
# Answering "Why" Questions



# Statement & Question - Answer

- I was done so I stopped working.
  - Why did you stop working?**
- I stopped working because I was done.

# Answering "Why" Questions



# Statement & Question - Answer

- I wanted to know so I asked a question.  
–**Why did you ask a question?**
- I asked a question because I wanted to know.