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1. The way it was

There once was a time when there was no daytime and no nighttime. The world was just gray and everyone lived in the gloomy, cloudy world.

2. How it came to be

One day a set of sisters began to think about what was past the gray cloudy skies. The younger sister pushed the clouds out of the way and the sun emerged. The older sister said it was too bright and pushed the sun out of the way. The girls continued to fight as the skies switched from light to dark.

3. The way it is

The girls' mother had to step in and told the girls they needed to make a compromise. They decided the younger sister would get half of the day to enjoy the sunlight and the older sister would get the other half of the day for the darkness. (The younger sister represents daytime & the older represents nighttime)

Ronson  
Carr

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1. The way it was

In the beginning, the world only lived in the day. It was peaceful, joyful, ~~but there was no color.~~ People enjoyed it but they never slept. One day a young boy noticed that it was dark. He noticed that people were sleep walking.

2. How it came to be

He told friends + develops a drink so that you have day people + night people. Day people are the sleep walkers + night people are those who are awake.

3. The way it is

Day people go to work + do their normal routine + night people are those who see the real world.

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1. The way it was

People would hold all their emotions in and die because they would hold everything in.

2. How it came to be

Crying came to be when people used to be sad, they would hold every emotion in and they would die because they would burst with all their emotions. When one person let all their emotions out, they cried and everyone saw that he didn't die so they started letting their emotions out.

3. The way it is

People cry and let their emotions out and tears fall out with the emotions in their salty tears.

James  
Cotton

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1. The way it was

People in the beginning could only get water from the ocean but they were using too much and eventually the ocean ran out of water and there was a drought.

2. How it came to be

Then, everyone in the whole world began to pray to the gods to give them more water to water plants, shower, and drink. Then the gods sent water down on the daily.

3. The way it is

Now people have more than enough water but sometimes they wish they didn't have as much water.

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1. The way it was

A very long time ago, the sun was up all day long. The people were getting annoyed when they tried to sleep because it was too bright. The sun stayed in the same place all day.

2. How it came to be

One day, the people got sick and tired of the sun. They decided to build a tower up to heaven to throw stuff at the sun to knock it down so they can sleep. They built a tower so tall that one day god was walking and tripped over the tower and fell on the sun and pushed it down.

This god had a severe memory ~~problem~~ problem and everyday he falls on the sun because he forgets about the tower.

3. The way it is

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1. The way it was

In the beginning, the whole world was a peaceful, beautiful place. All the animals, trees, and oceans lived among each other in harmony. There were no storms, earthquakes, or any dangers to fear. When humans came along, the Earth stayed intact. However, in the year 2004, everything changed; a hurricane came into the world.

2. How it came to be *also* At first, the hurricane, Hannah, seemed cute and harmless. She was just a tiny storm then, but as she grew older, she grew stronger. And as soon as she didn't get her way, she explodes in a "RAIN" of terror, with thunder, lightning, and dangerous winds.

3. The way it is

Ever since then, whenever Hannah doesn't get what she wants, she releases her storm.

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1. The way it was

Birds used to fly so high. Birds used to be so happy and had no worries. The more people came about, the lower the birds flew. The population grew which meant the pollution grew also. Back when the earth was clean and provided just enough for the bird's to be happy and to fly high.

2. How it came to be

The birds got "sadder" as the pollution grew. If you trash their area, how will it make them stay happy? It's like if our world was all trash/pollution, we wouldn't be as happy as we were when it was clean and fresh. We wouldn't be as happy as we were when we went to work, or when we met our friends or family.

3. The way it is

The birds don't fly as high as they used to. They don't fly as far as they used to either. They're distracted by the pollution and don't get enough energy as they used to get. Maybe one day people will appreciate the earth a little more.

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1. The way it was

There used to only be dark, no light. There was no such thing as A.M. + P.M. The sky was always pitch black all around the world. People were mad because they needed light to grow crops.

2. How it came to be

One day, a group of people got a really tall ladder + lit a fire + released it into the sky + there was light. Every 12 hours this fire died down but it created light in different areas of the earth.

3. The way it is

Now, there is time zones + night + day.