CLASSIFICATION BASED ON GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Classification is the process of grouping various objects on the basis of their common properties like shape, size, category, color, trait, etc. and finding the odd object from the group. The questions contain a set of different items and candidates are asked to find the odd item out of the given ones. All the items except one follow a certain rule or pattern or they possess some common qualities or characteristics between them and one which is odd does not possess the common qualities or characteristics.

CHOOSING THE ODD WORD BASED ON GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

In this type of classification reasoning, candidates will be given a bunch of words and they have to pick out the correct one.

Classification Sample Questions

Question 1: Choose the word which is least like the other words in the group.
1. Tiger
2. Lion
3. Leopard
4. Cow

Solution: In this group of words, all animals are carnivorous but cows are herbivorous.
Hence, the correct answer is Cow

Question 2: Choose the odd pair.
1. Volume : Liter
2. Time :Second
3. Length :Meter
4. Pressure :Barometer

Solution: In all options, the second pair is the unit to measure the first one but in option 4, the barometer is the instrument to measure pressure.

Hence, the correct answer is Pressure : Barometer.

Question 3: Choose the pair of words which are different from others in the group.

1. Length :Extend
2. Duration:Period
3. Time :Span
4. Expanse :Stretch

Solution: Here, in all options, the first word is the synonyms of the second word except the last one. The last one is the antonyms of the first one.
Hence, the correct answer is Expanse :Stretch.

Question 4: In the following question, find the odd one from the given alternatives.

1. Linen
2. Cotton
3. Iron
4. Silk

Solution: Linen, Cotton and Silk are types of clothes. Hence, Iron is the odd one from the given alternative.

Question 5: In the following question, find the odd one from the given alternatives.

1. Netherlands
2. Brunei
3. Croatia
4. Serbia

Solution: The Netherlands, Croatia and Serbia are European countries. Hence, Brunei is the odd one from the given alternative.

Question 6: In the following question, find the odd one from the given alternatives.

1. Electrician
2. Pediatrician
3. Oncologist
4. Cardiologist

Solution: Pediatrician, Oncologist and Cardiologist are Doctors. Hence, Electrician is the odd one from the given alternative.