

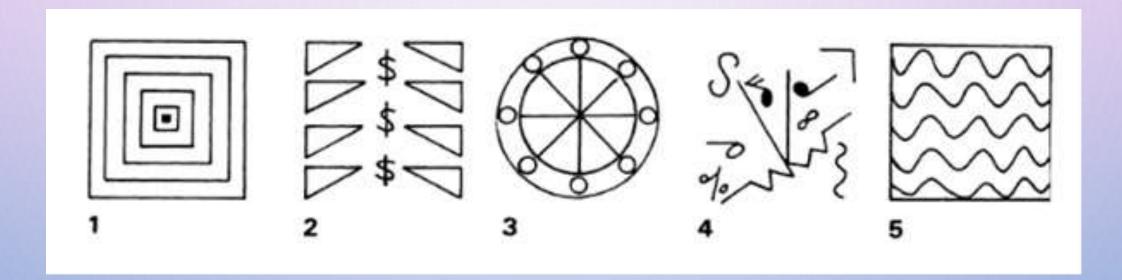


AIMS OF TEACHING AND LEARNING

- LEARNING OBJECTIVE
- TO ACCURATELY COMPREHEND LITERAL MEANING OF WRITTEN TEXTS.

- INDICATOR
- IDENTIFYING TOPIC, CONTROLLING IDEA, MAIN IDEA, REFERENCE, AND INFERENCE.

TRY TO PAY ATTENTION TO THESE KINDS OF PATTERNS BELOW



GET CONFUSED? SO DO I, I ALSO GET CONFUSED, BUT IT IS OK, THAT'S WHY WE STUDY IT TOGETHER

LET US TRY TO FIND THE PATTERN OF ORGANIZATION. FOR EXAMPLE:

- 1. LISTING WAYS TO TRAVEL : PLANE, TRAIN, BUS , AND SHIP
- TIME ORDER: -- WARS IN AMERICAN HISTORY:

1776 - AMERICAN REVOLUTION

1812 - WAR OF 1812

1860 - CIVIL WAR

1914 – WORLD WAR I

1940 - WORLD WAR 2

- 3. CAUSE- EFFECT CAUSE: HEAVY RAIN
- EFFECT : MY CLOTHES GET WET
- 4. COMPARISON COMPARING PARIS AND NEW YORK : HOW ARE THEY ALIKE?

EXPENSIVE, BEAUTIFUL BUILDINGS

MANY ART MUSEUMS

HOW ARE THEY DIFFERENT?

PARIS IS A CAPITAL CITY; NEW YORK IS NOT A CAPITAL CITY

PARIS IS SAFER; NEW YORK IS LARGER

CAN WE TRY TO IDENTIFY THIS EXAMPLE BELOW?

- EXAMPLE: DIAMONDS ARE VERY EXPENSIVE FOR <u>SEVERAL REASONS</u>. <u>FIRST</u> THEY ARE DIFFICULT TO FIND. THEY ARE NOT ONLY FOUND IN A FEW PLACES IN THE WORLD. <u>SECOND</u>, THEY ARE USEFUL. PEOPLE USE DIAMOND TO CUT OTHER STONES. <u>THIRD</u>, DIAMONDS DO NOT CHANGE. THEY STAY THE SAME FOR MILLIONS OF YEARS. <u>AND FINALLY</u>, THEY ARE VERY BEAUTIFUL.
- WHAT IS THE TOPIC OF THIS PARAGRAPH?
- THE UNDERLINED WORDS ARE SIGNAL WORDS. THEY TELL US ABOUT THE AUTHOR'S PATTERN OF ORGANIZATION. THE SIGNAL WORD FOR THIS PATTERN IS SEVERAL. IT TELLS US TO LOOK FOR A LIST. THIS LIST TELLS US SEVERAL REASONS WHY DIAMONDS ARE EXPENSIVE.

NOW, WHAT ABOUT THIS ONE BELOW

- ALBERT EINSTEIN WAS BORN IN 1879 IN ULM, GERMANY. HE GRADUATED FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF ZURICH IN SWITZERLAND IN 1905. IN 1905, HE ALSO DID SOME OF HIS MOST FAMOUS WORK IN PHYSICS. IN 1919 HE WON THE NOBEL PRIZE OF PHYSICS. BETWEEN 1919 AND 1933 HE LIVED IN GERMANY AND TRAVELED A LOT TO TALK TO OTHER SCIENTISTS. THEN IN 1933, HE HAD TO LEAVE GERMANY BECAUSE OF HITLER AND THE NAZI PARTY. HE MOVED TO THE UNITED STATES. FROM 1933 UNTIL HIS DEATH, HE LIVED IN PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY. HE DIED ON APRIL 18, 1955.
- WHAT IS THE TOPIC OF THIS PARAGRAPH?
- HOW CAN YOU TELL THIS IS A TIME ORDER PATTERN?

CONTINUED: NOW TRY TO IDENTFY THESE SENTENCES:

· (a).	EXERCISE CAN MAKE YOU HUNGRY AND THIRSTY	
• CAUS	EFFECT	
• 2.	MANY CAR ACCIDENTS HAPPEN BECAUSE OF ICE AND SNOW ON THE ROAD.	
• CAUS	EEFFECT	
• 3.	BAD FOOD AND NOT ENOUGH SLEEP ARE TWO REASONS FOR BAD HEALTH.	
• CAUS	EEFFECT	
• 4.	MANY DOCTORS TODAY BELIEVE THAT SMOKING CIGARETTES MAY LEAD TO CANCER	?
• CAUS	EFFECT	
• 5.	SOME PEOPLE BECOME NERVOUS BECAUSE OF DRINKING COFFEE.	
• CAUS	EEFFECT	

LET US TRY THIS PASSAGE, CAN WE IDENTIFY?

- THERE ARE MANY DIFFERENT CAUSES OF CAR ACCIDENTS IN THE UNITED STATES. SOMETIMES ACCIDENTS ARE CAUSED BY BAD WEATHER. ICE OR SNOW CAN MAKE ROADS VERY DANGEROUS. ACCIDENTS ALSO CAN RESULT FROM PROBLEMS WITH THE CAR. EVEN A SMALL PROBLEM LIKE A FLAT TIRE CAN BE SERIOUS. BAD ROADS ARE ANOTHER CAUSE OF ACCIDENTS. SOME ACCIDENTS HAPPEN BECAUSE THE DRIVER FALLS ASLEEP. AND FINALLY, SOME ACCIDENTS ARE CAUSED BY DRINKING TOO MUCH ALCOHOL. IN FACT, THIS IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT CAUSES OF ACCIDENTS.
- TOPIC: THE CAUSE OF CAR ACCIDENTS IN THE UNITED STATES



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