

Knowledge Type 11:

Events and Entities specific knowledge:

For example,

Breeze does not knock down sand castle

1. This morning, Joey built a sand castle on the beach, and put a toy flag in the highest tower, but this afternoon a breeze knocked it down. What did the breeze knock down?

Correct Answer: The flag

Required Knowledge Instance:

Breeze does not knock down sand castle

OR

[-] E [instance_of: knock down, agent: X [instance_of: breeze], patient: Y [instance_of: sand castle]]

2. This morning, Joey built a sand castle on the beach, and put a toy flag in the highest tower, but this afternoon the tide knocked it down. What did the tide knock down?

Correct Answer: the sand castle.

Required Knowledge Instance:

Tide knocks down sand castle

OR

E [instance_of: knock down, agent: X [instance_of: tide], patient: Y [instance_of: sand castle]]

3. Fred is the only man alive who still remembers my father as an infant. When Fred first saw my father, he was twelve years old. Who was twelve years old?

Correct Answer: Fred.

Required Knowledge Instance:

twelve years old is not an infant

OR

[-] E [instance_of: be, theme: X [instance_of: entity, trait: 12 years old], attribute: Z [instance_of: infant]]

4. Fred is the only man alive who still remembers my father as an infant. When Fred first saw my father, he was twelve months old. Who was twelve months old?

Correct Answer: my father.

Required Knowledge Instance:

twelve months old is an infant

OR

E [instance_of: be, theme: X [instance_of: entity, trait: 12 months old], attribute: Z [instance_of: infant]]

5. Sam pulled up a chair to the piano, but it was broken, so he had to stand instead. What was broken?

Correct Answer: The chair.

Required Knowledge Instance:

If a chair is broken then someone may have to stand

OR

P [instance_of: broken, is_trait_of: X [instance_of: chair]]
causes

E [instance_of: stand]