

## 1. The Basic Level: Day of the Week

**Goal:** Practice the classic switch syntax and the default case.

- **Task:** Write a program that takes an integer (1-7) from the user.
- **Logic:** \* 1 = "Monday", 2 = "Tuesday", and so on.
  - If the number is outside 1-7, print "Invalid day."
- **Bonus:** Use a switch **expression** (the newer, concise syntax) instead of a switch **statement**.

## 2. The Multi-Case: Season Finder

**Goal:** Learn how to group multiple cases together.

- **Task:** Ask the user for the name of a month (string).
- **Logic:** Group the months to output the season:
  - **Winter:** December, January, February
  - **Spring:** March, April, May
  - **Summer:** June, July, August
  - **Autumn:** September, October, November
- **Hint:** In a switch statement, you can stack case labels to execute the same code block for different inputs.

### 3. The Calculator: Simple Arithmetic

**Goal:** Use char types and handle basic logic.

- **Task:** Create a mini-calculator. Input two doubles and one char operator (+, -, \*, /).
- **Logic:** Perform the operation based on the character.
- **Constraint:** Include a case for division where you check if the second number is zero (to avoid a DivideByZeroException).

#### 4. Relational Patterns: Grade Classifier

**Goal:** Use relational patterns (`<`, `>`, `<=`, `>=`) introduced in C# 9.0.

- **Task:** Take an integer score (0-100) and return a letter grade.
- **Logic:**
  - `>= 90: A`
  - `80 to 89: B`
  - `70 to 79: C`
  - `60 to 69: D`
  - `< 60: F`
- **Example Syntax:** `score is >= 90 => "A"`

## 5. Type & Property Patterns: Shipping Cost

**Goal:** Handle different object types using the switch expression.

- **Task:** Create a method that calculates shipping costs based on the type of package object passed in.
- **Logic:**
  - If it's a Letter, cost is \$2.
  - If it's a Box and its Weight property is > 5kg, cost is \$10.
  - If it's a Box and its Weight property is <= 5kg, cost is \$5.
  - If it's anything else, throw an exception.