

# Eliminating Incorrect Answer Choices

When an answer choice is *obviously* incorrect, it doesn't connect to the question being asked. All you have to do is R.E.A.D to eliminate the incorrect answer choices and find your final answer.

<b>R</b>	Read the question and all answer choices carefully
<b>E</b>	Eliminate any incorrect answer choices
<b>A</b>	Ask yourself: Is this answer connected to the question?
<b>D</b>	Determine your final answer.

Eliminate means to remove or get rid of.  
To eliminate answers, look for:

- Choices not found in the text
- Choices unrelated to the question
- Choices that appear *out of place*



If you answer **yes**, you can look for more evidence and move on to determine if this is your final answer choice.

If you answer **no**, you may need to take a step back and eliminate the answer choice.



## PUT IT INTO PRACTICE



**When you take your test, remember to R.E.A.D!**  
**Use this acronym to help you eliminate answers that are incorrect and narrow down the correct answer choice.**