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DIRECTIONS: Both passages below are from books about botany. Read each passage. Select the most appropriate audience for each passage.

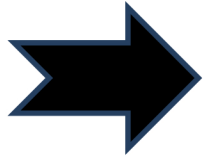
1. BOTANY is the name of the science of the vegetable kingdom in general; that is, of plants. Plants may be studied as to their kinds and relationships. This study is SYSTEMATIC BOTANY. An enumeration of the kinds of vegetables, as far as known, classified according to their various degrees of resemblance or difference, constitutes a general System of plants. A similar account of the vegetables of any particular country or district is called a Flora.

From The Elements of Botany for Beginners and For Schools by Asa Gray

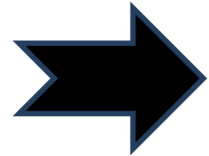
2. What is Botany? The pupils are very apt to say at first that it is learning about flowers. The teacher can draw their attention to the fact that flowers are only a part of the plant, and that Botany is also the study of the leaves, the stem, and the root. Botany is the science of plants. Ask them what the Geranium is. Tell them to name some other plants. The teacher should keep a few growing plants in the schoolroom for purposes of illustration.

From Outlines of Lessons in Botany, Part I; From Seed to Leaf by Jane H. Newell

- A. A scientific report for botanists
- B. A high school textbook
- C. A textbook for teachers on how to teach botany.
- D. A magazine article for the general public



- A. A college textbook
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ANSWERS

1. B

2. C