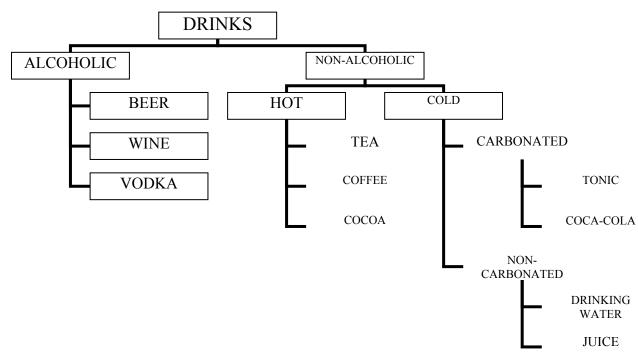
## Week 4 – Classifying in Chemistry – Key

## Exercise 2.



## Exercise 3.

1	Everything around us consists of matter: this paper, your body, the air you breathe,
	and the water you drink. Matter is anything that has weight or mass and takes up space.
2	All matter may be classified as either solid, liquid, or gas. Solids are firm and have a
	definite form. Rubber, wood, glass, iron, cotton, and sand are all classified as solids. A
	considerable force would be needed to change the shape or volume of an iron bar, for
	example, because the atoms or molecules of a solid are densely packed and have very
	little freedom of movement.
3	Solids may be further divided into two classes: crystalline and amorphous. Rocks,
	wood, paper, and cotton are crystalline solids. Crystalline solids are made up of atoms
	arranged in a definite pattern. When these solids are heated, the change to a liquid,
	known as melting, is sharp and clear. Amorphous substances include <u>rubber</u> , glass, and
	<u>sulphur</u> . In these substances, the pattern of atoms is not orderly, and when heated, they
	gradually soften.
4	<u>Liquids</u> , on the other hand, are not rigid. If <u>water</u> , <u>milk</u> , <u>or oil</u> is poured on a table, it
	will flow all over the surface. The atoms or molecules of liquids attract each other and
	thereby enable liquids to flow. But these atoms are loosely structured and do not keep
	their shape. Therefore a liquid will take the shape of any container in which it is poured.
	However, liquids have a definite volume: a quart of milk cannot fit in a pint container.
5	Gases, such as <u>air</u> , <u>oxygen</u> , and <u>carbon dioxide</u> , have no fixed shape or volume of
	their own. They diffuse or spread out to fill any container. The atoms or molecules of
	gases are widely spaced and move very rapidly. They either compress or expand to
	adapt to any area.
6	Everything we know is made of matter in solid, liquid or gaseous form.

