


Study Skills

**Good Study Habits
Produce Better Grades!**



Study Tips!



- **Set a regular time to study**
 - **Remove distractions**
 - **Have necessary supplies**
 - **Record work in an copy book or on a calendar**
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Study Tips!



- **Take notes in class**
- **Manage your time**
- **Study for tests**

study

(verb)

The act of texting, eating
and watching TV with an
open textbook nearby.



Make sure you have the following:

- Your homework notebook or calendar
- Solid flat surface for writing
- Good lighting
- Chair
- Books
- Supplies

Make sure you have the following!



- Clock
- Eliminate all distractions
- Computer (optional)
- Wear your glasses (if you are supposed to)
- Good Health
- Something to drink (if needed)



Before Class!




- Think about what the class is going to be about
- What were the main points covered in the last class
- Review what your homework for class
- Have your Homework out on your desk – ready to turn in
- Prepare for every subject in this manner



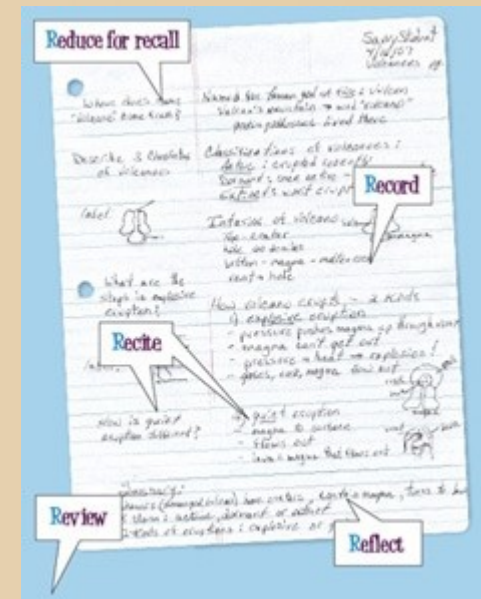
During Class!



- Does your general knowledge provide any information about the subject being taught?
 - What comes to mind during the class that may be helpful?
 - Concentrate on the subject being taught
 - Take notes on the main points
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After Class!

- Review your notes and think about what was covered in class.
- Some people like to rewrite their notes as they study.
- Some people like to underline and highlight important ideas and vocabulary.



How to Listen Better!



- Form a good habit – good listening in class!
- Concentrate on what is going on in class – do not daydream!
- You can not listen if you are talking!



Learning to Listen!



- Good listening means you are paying attention.
- Try to hear what is said, not what you want to hear.
- Think “around” the topic and “between the lines”.
- Relate it to what you already know.
- What is the main point?



Learning to Listen!



- What is likely to be on the test?
- What is the teacher going to say next?
- Listen carefully to the homework and write it down in your homework copy.
- Listen for these essential phrases from the teacher

“This is important...”


“It is essential that you know....”



Improving Reading Skills!

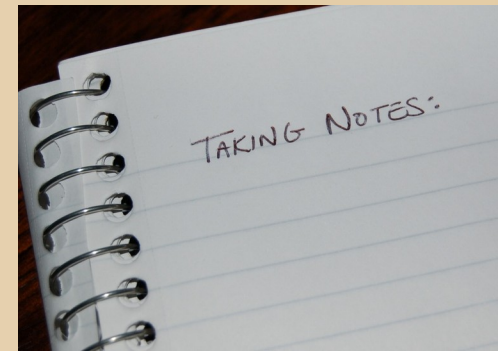


A good reader does as many of the following as possible:

- Seizes the main ideas
 - Thinks about what the author is saying
 - Is active, not passive
 - Concentrates on what is being read
 - Remembers as much as possible
 - Applies what is being read to personal experience.
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Taking Notes In Class!

- **Be prepared to take notes when class begins.**
- **Avoid any distracting conduct.**
- **Participate constructively in class discussions.**
- **Ask Questions!**
- **Write notes in a concise, organised manner.**



YOUR TOP 10 TIPS FOR STUDY SKILLS

1. FIND THE BEST STUDY METHOD FOR YOU
2. EAT WELL
3. EXERCISE REGULARLY
4. STAY POSITIVE
5. GET ENOUGH SLEEP
6. TAKE BREAKS
7. SET GOALS
8. FIND THE BEST STUDY TIME FOR YOU
9. EXAMS CAN BE GOOD!
10. SLEEP ON IT

