Study Skills

* Write your notes in abbreviations.
* Learn how to distinguish the important information.
* Review and possibly rewrite your notes later or at home.
* Look over the notes from the previous day at the beginning of class.
* Use a highlighter or different pens to underline important information.
* Use visual cues and images to remember information.
* Study in a comfortable un-distracting place. Studying in front on the TV is not good.
* Start a study group. Choose motivated group members. Brainstorm questions that might be on the test.
* Ask the teacher if you have questions. I can’t answer it if you don’t ask!

Testing

* Visualize and have a positive outlook, breathe
* Good study skills = Good Testing
* There is no medal for finishing first
* READ the directions.
* Read each questions carefully.
* Underline important and key words.
* Skip questions that you don’t know and come back to them later.
* Write down any important information that you need to remember on your test when you first get it.
* Look through the test to see if there are any answers within it.
* Look through you options and cross out wrong answers.
* Make sure that you have answered all parts of the question.
* When in doubt write something, don’t leave an answer blank.
* Change your answers only when you are absolutely sure that they are wrong.
* Review your test before you turn it in.

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