

General Study Tips and Suggestions:

1. Make flash cards and quiz yourself or have someone else quiz you.
2. Review your notes to make sure you understand them and write down any questions that need to be clarified. Also, clarify any gaps in your notes with the assistance of a friend or teacher. Some students also benefit from re-writing notes.
3. Utilize the study guide that the teacher has given to you.
4. Make your own practice test or study sheet.
5. Go to extra help days before a test or quiz.
6. Study with a buddy or have a study group.
7. Study early and a little bit each night. Do not procrastinate. Use your time wisely.
8. Make a study plan and an outline of what you specifically need to study for.
9. Read and repeat material out loud.
10. Study the hardest concepts first and review what you already know.
11. Come up with rhymes, acronyms, or any other tricks to help you remember the material.
12. Study in a comfortable place and away from distractions.
13. Go on the teacher's website or online for further information.
14. Pay attention in class. Listen for tips and information that will be on the test.
15. Highlight important key words or sentences.
16. Make sure you are studying the right material.
17. Think positive when studying for a test and when taking a test. Say positive self-statements, such as "I can do it." "I am prepared and studied the best I could."

Study Tips and Suggestions for Each Subject:

Subject	Study Tips
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review lab work. ➤ Go on easytestmaker.com to make practice tests. ➤ Watch united streaming videos.
Math	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Use diagrams and charts to understand the material better. ➤ Do extra problems in each section until you understand the topic being covered. Do odd questions to receive answers in the back of the book. ➤ Study online (glencoe.com, phschool.com). ➤ Review past homework and class work to make sure you remember and understand the material. ➤ Study each section on different nights.

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Social Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Play a game that helps you study and that makes studying fun (i.e. jeopardy, “jollyaire”). ➤ Survey the textbook pages to obtain a solid idea of what you are about to read. Look for chapter headings, highlighted vocabulary, summary paragraphs, diagrams, and pictures. ➤ Develop questions to guide your reading and to establish a specific goal for your reading. Carefully read the material to find the answers to your guide questions. Recite or record the answer to any guide questions. ➤ Review what you have read, especially before a class discussion or a test, paying particular attention to the guide questions.
LA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Think of relationships with certain words that may be hard for you to remember. ➤ Make flashcards for vocabulary words. Put word on one side of the index card and definition on the other side. Separate cards into two piles: 1) words and definitions you are familiar with and 2) words and definitions that you still have to learn. Review what you already know and spend more time on what you do NOT know. ➤ Look up words you do not understand. ➤ Put words in a sentence so you are sure to understand what the word means. ➤ Use vocabulary words in everyday conversations. ➤ Make an outline of the main ideas. ➤ Make a timeline of events. ➤ Look at the main idea or topic, and then look away and recite the details (who, what, where, when, and why) out loud without looking. Then check to see if you were right. Repeat if you had lots of mistakes. ➤ Tell a story out loud. ➤ Make up a song or rhyme to memorize material.
World Languages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Make a song to help you remember the material better. ➤ Use index cards for vocabulary words and quiz yourself. ➤ Practice for an oral quiz by speaking out loud. ➤ Make up a song, game, or story to remember the material. You could also draw pictures to form visuals. ➤ Do the practice activities on-line as suggested by your teacher.

Remember...

- Double check all of your work when you are finished with the test if there is extra time available.
- After getting your test back, review what you got wrong with your teacher and understand why you got the wrong answer.