

Review: Improving Study Skills

Name _____ Date _____

Your Turn

Answer each of the following questions.

1. Which of the following are examples of effective note-taking strategies?
 - a. Use pictures, abbreviations, and shorthand.
 - b. Write only complete sentences with perfect punctuation.
 - c. Label the top of the page with the topic and date.
 - d. Both “a” and “c”
 - e. Items “a,” “b,” and “c”

2. List four strategies for writing learning logs.

3. How can you get organized while preparing for a test?

4. Which of the following strategies are helpful for answering true/false test questions?
 - a. Read each statement carefully.
 - b. Watch for key words such as *all*, *every*, *always*, and *never*.
 - c. Watch for words that mean “not.”
 - d. All of these

5. What are two things to watch for when answering a fill-in-the-blank test question?

6. If a prompt asks you to “compare” something, what should you do in your response?

Reflect:

What study skill in this chapter did you find most helpful and why?
