

Time Management

Successful college students spend 2-3 hours studying outside of class for every hour they spend in class.

Engineering students should spend 4-5 hours studying outside of class for every hour they spend in a STEM class.

Useful tools:

- PocketMod.com

Phone Apps:

- iStudiez Pro

- Quizlet

- InClass

- iProcrastinate

- Outliner

- Evernote

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Reminders about Time Management

- Get an early start on your work so you are not doing everything at the last minute.
- Swiss Cheese Technique- Breakdown your big projects into small parts so you do not get overwhelmed.
- Saying “No” to things is okay. Sometimes academics need to come first.
- 50/10 rule- Study for 50 minutes and then take a 10 minute break.
- Reward yourself after you have reached one of your goals.
- Get rid of distractions while you are studying, like your cell phone and social media.

Plan Ahead!

- Get a daily planner to prioritize your time.
- Prioritize your activities and spend your time wisely
- To-do lists:
 - Make one every day.
 - Rewrite it every day.
 - Assign times to each task.
- Study with a friend.
- Do not panic when your schedule needs to change; just make adjustments.

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