

Class Notes / Learning Log / Textbook Notes

Remember to **REVIEW** these notes daily so you will be ready to participate in class discussion the next day. This practice of daily review will also prepare you for future assessments.

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Class: AVID

Period/Block: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Topic: **Cornell Style Note taking**

**Questions/Main Ideas:**

**Notes:**

OBJ:  
Students will learn the C note taking system for taking notes.

This system requires higher level interaction, critical thinking with note taking and studying.

Cornell notes are a style of taking notes that is interactive for the learner.

How do I set up my paper?

What are some note taking tips and procedures?

**The STAR method is a strategy to help learn how to take Cornell Notes. There are many strategies that you will learn to take good notes.**

**STAR METHOD**

**S = Set up paper**

Fill in Part 1 and Part 2 (See copy of Cornell Notes)

Give your notes a title or topic, usually your teacher will tell you what this is.

**T = Take Notes**

Fill in Part 3

- PARAPHRASE
- Listen for important parts
- Make notes your own, underline, arrows, capitol letters, pictures
- 0 Spelling, maybe later if needed
- Use abbrev.
- Write the main ideas, details, definitions, formulas, diagrams, or other information the teacher or reading gives you.
- Sometimes you might write your homework assgn. Here then transfer to your planner

**A = After Class**

<p>What should I do after I take my notes?</p> <p>How can I use my notes to study? How long should my summary be?</p>	<p>Re-read part 3 and fill in part 4 ASAP!!! Part 4 may have Questions, icons, symbols, and memory keys</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• make additions or edit</li> <li>• use partner to compare</li> <li>• highlight important parts</li> <li>• any Q's ?, teacher?</li> </ul> <p><b>R = Review Notes</b> Combine part 3 and 4 to write a Reflective Summary in Part 5. This Summary should be a 3-5 sentence paragraph.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• cover left/cover right</li> <li>• read out loud</li> <li>• paraphrase answers</li> </ul> <p><b>Taking Notes : Some Tips</b></p>
<p>What are some more note taking tips from my reading?</p>	<p>{ After highlighting this for any assignment, use what they read to compare to the notes from day before or at the completing of STAR Method. Discuss the difference of Highlighting and Coloring. Stress Main Ideas, this will transition into summary work.</p> <p>Comparison will show that though a lot is repeated, there are some new tips, so take some additional notes now. }</p> <p>Use the Speaker, listen for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• pauses</li> <li>• repeating</li> <li>• change in volume</li> <li>• intro phrases such as, “The four main points are...” or “Note the relationship btwn ...”</li> <li>• board work</li> <li>• visual aids, movies, or ppts</li> </ul> <p>Now go and finish part 4 and 5.</p>

**Summary, Reflection, Analysis**

The STAR method is a strategy used to take Cornell style notes. Some helpful tips are paraphrasing, listening for important parts, and writing questions to help study. Using this note taking style will help me study, prepare for homework, quizzes, and tests.
