

Effective Learning Strategies

Revision Technique	Always	Sometimes	Never	Style
Reading through class notes				Content (P)
Reading over past lessons, worksheets, and PowerPoints				Content (P)
Reading your course textbooks				Content (P)
Highlighting /colour-coding key information				Content (P)
Making flashcards				Content (A)
Quizzing yourself (e.g. with cue cards or flashcards)				Content (A)
Testing yourself on online platforms				Content (A)
Answering practice questions				Content (A)
Making mind-maps / diagrams				Content (A)
Summarising your learning into key notes				Content (A)
Teaching someone else about it				Content (A)
Planning answers to past exam questions				Skills (A)
Writing exam answers under timed conditions				Skills (A)
Reading over model answers				Skills (A)
Marking your work to a mark scheme				Feedback (A)
Testing one another in pairs/groups				Feedback (A)
Comparing model answers against your own work				Feedback (A)
Handing in extra exam work for marking				Feedback (A)
Getting one-on-one feedback from your teacher				Feedback (A)

P = Passive learning

A = Active Learning

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