

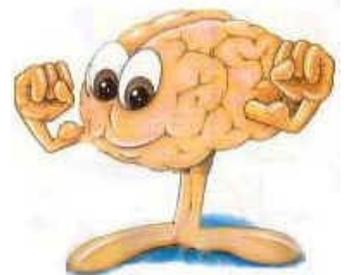
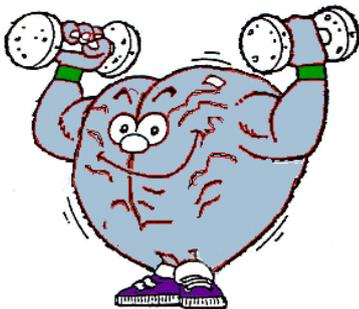
Revision Strategies

You will find on the two worksheets a total of 27 different revision strategies.

We all learn in different ways, and it is important that we find revision strategies that suit the way that we learn best. Your job is to read the statements, and using the highlighters provided, identify the methods that;

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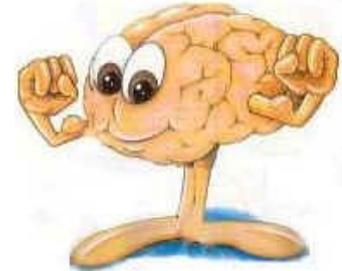
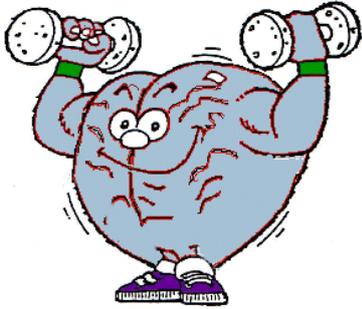
When you have finished, you will have identified some useful ways to help you revise for your future tests and assessments.



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| <p>Underline key words in your exercise books.</p> | <p>Make a tape for yourself on a topic then use it when you revise.</p> | <p>Change key words in the topic for pictures or symbols or abbreviations and use those in your revision.</p> |
| <p>Read your revision notes out loud ... but talk to a particular rhythm (walk and talk)</p> | <p>Ask questions you would like to know about the topic. Then as you revise look for the answers.</p> | <p>Use highlighter pens in your exercise books to pick out key ideas.</p> |
| <p>Put all your notes onto small cards ... You can only use key words as the cards are too small.</p> | <p>Make up questions and answers about a topic you are revising and quiz each other.</p> | <p>Listen to a certain song or band when you revise a certain topic.</p> |
| <p>Write information on post-it notes... rearrange them on the wall.</p> | <p>Mindmap a topic onto one page... use lots of colour and pictures but very few words.</p> | <p>Re-write the topic in your own words</p> |

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| Make cartoons or drawings of events / people/ places etc. | Make notes on a topic for someone else... swap notes with others. | Make some notes on the topic and walk around as you revise. |
| Make up some silly mimes for key words / people / places that will help you remember. | Make your revision into a song / rap / poem. | Make a card game for the topic and play the game you invent with others. |
| Order or sequence ideas as you want them... They may not be in a logical sequence in your notes so put them in an order you can understand. | Use guessing games like pictionary, scrabble, taboo etc. with friends (change the rules so you are limited to the topic you are studying. | As you read through your work, start to make notes straight away... don't wait for it all to become clear. |
| Close your eyes and try to visualise work you have just covered... try to picture it in your mind. | Work out how the topic relates to the real world. | Rehearse your revision out loud ... talk under your breath |
| Teach a friend a topic you feel you know reasonably well. | Find out why you are learning it ... then make it interesting for you. | Make a poster for a topic ... use lots of colours and pictures but not a lot of words. |