



- Revision techniques to use
- Looking after yourself
- Planning your revision
- Sitting exams



Recognition vs recall



- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v_B3qkp4nO4

Homegrown alligator, see you later
Gotta hit the road, gotta hit the road
The sun it changed in the atmosphere
Architecture unfamiliar
I can get used to this

Time flies by in the yellow and green
Stick around and you'll see what I mean
There's a mountaintop that I'm dreaming of
If you need me you know where I'll be

I'll be riding shotgun underneath the hot sun
Feeling like a someone
I'll be riding shotgun underneath the hot sun
Feeling like a someone

The south of the equator, navigate it
Gotta hit the road, gotta hit the road
Deep-sea diving 'round the clock, bikini bottoms, lager tops
I could get used to this

Time flies by in the yellow and green
Stick around and you'll see what I mean
There's a mountaintop that I'm dreaming of
If you...



Recognition vs recall



- Recognition is an easier psychological task than recall
- Being familiar with something you have read through a number of times does not mean you can recall it
- Don't just familiarise yourself with your work – practise retrieving the information from your memory



Recognition vs recall



- 66% material is forgotten after 7 days
- 88% material is forgotten after 6 weeks
- Reading notes and text books leads to a mere 10% retention 😞



Recognition vs recall



- Create revision resources, but rather than just copy the information, try to recall the information from memory, checking and correcting afterwards
- Get together with friends and test each other
- Create little tests for yourself (or others) to do a different day
- Explain a concept to family or friends
- Practise the type of questions you will be asked in your exam – write an essay, ‘do’ revision packs, speak a language
- Create songs, raps or Mnemonics to help you recall information

Know your Learner



Visual learners prefer to:

- ❖ Draw pictures and diagrams
- ❖ Colour code their work
- ❖ Use different coloured paper, pens etc
- ❖ Use their own system of symbols etc
- ❖ Create images and scenes in their minds

Auditory learners prefer to:

- ❖ Say their work aloud
- ❖ Give presentations to an imaginary audience
- ❖ Record notes on a tape recorder
- ❖ Use silly noises to remember things
- ❖ Hear the information in their mind
- ❖ Play instrumental music





Kinaesthetic learners prefer to:

- ❖ Do actions when learning key facts
- ❖ Walk about when learning
- ❖ Find it harder to sit at a desk
- ❖ Add emotions and textures to exaggerate information
- ❖ Try to experience what they are learning

- If you know what type of learner you are, you can then tailor your revision to your needs...
- Revision Techniques to use...

Temps Simples

- SUI
- NA
- PRONOM
- VERBE
- N2
- (conscience)

Temps Composés

- SUI
- NA
- PRONOM
- AUXILIAIRE
- N2
- PARTICULE PASSÉ

Végétal

DOUBLE SANDWICH

SANDWICH

PROGROSSION

SIMPLE

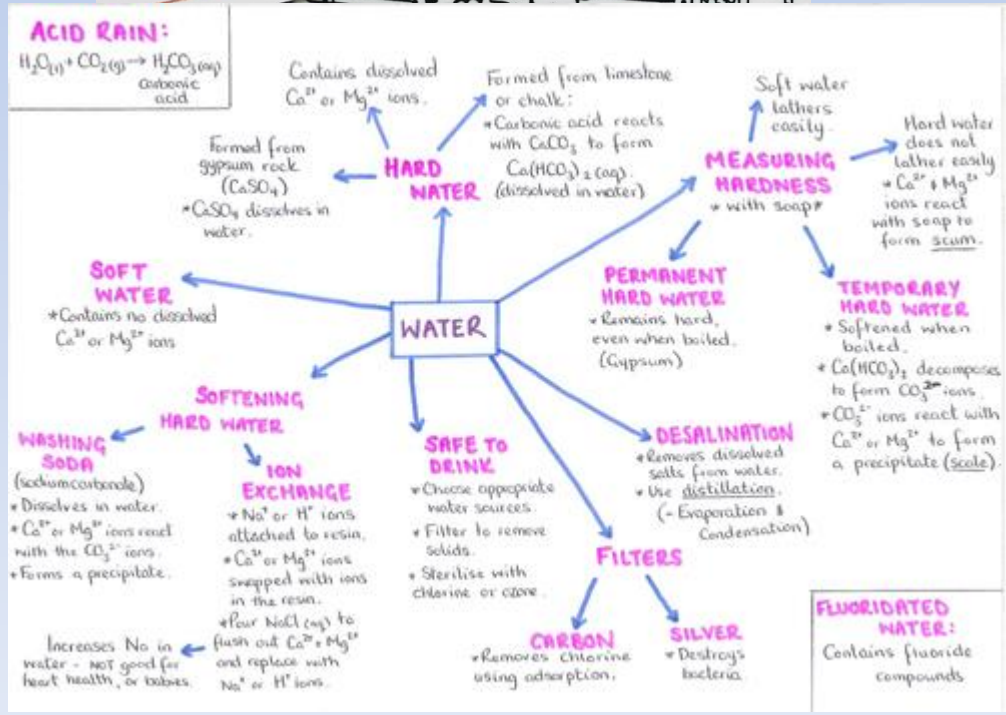
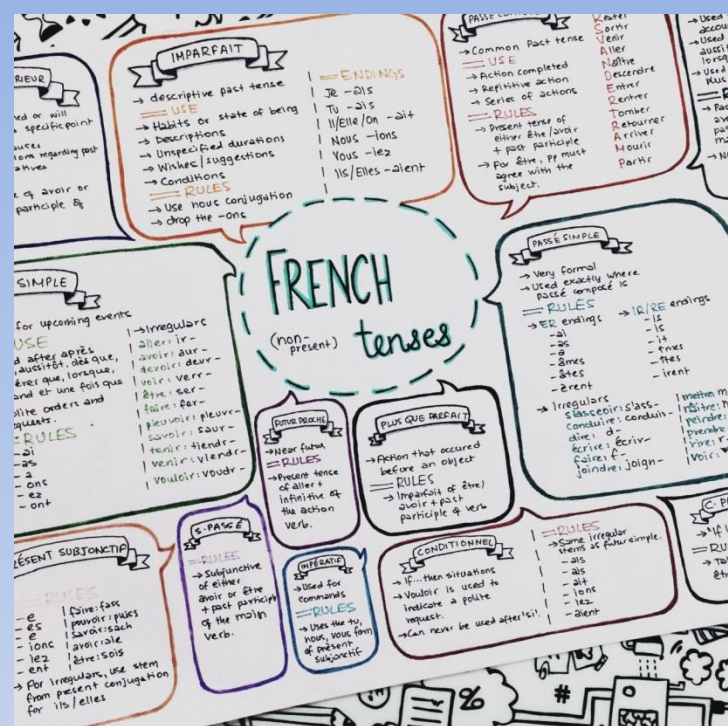
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RIGUEUR

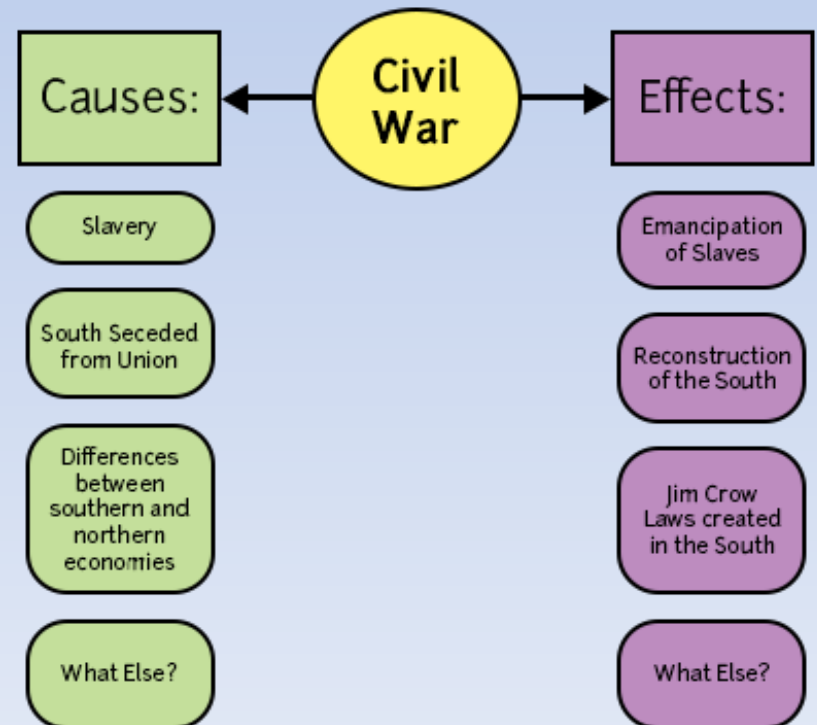
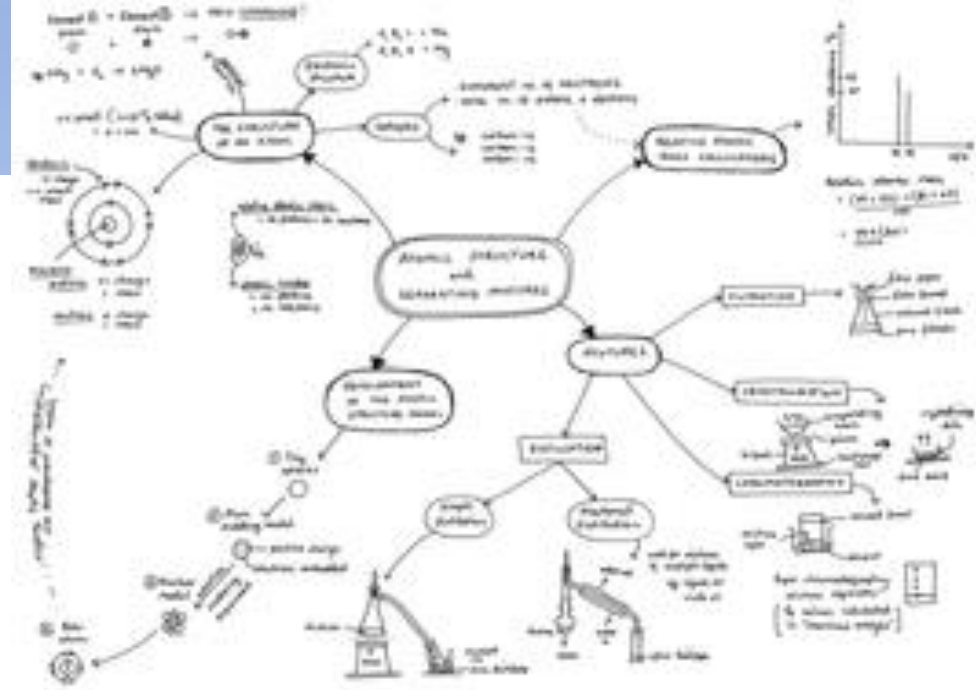
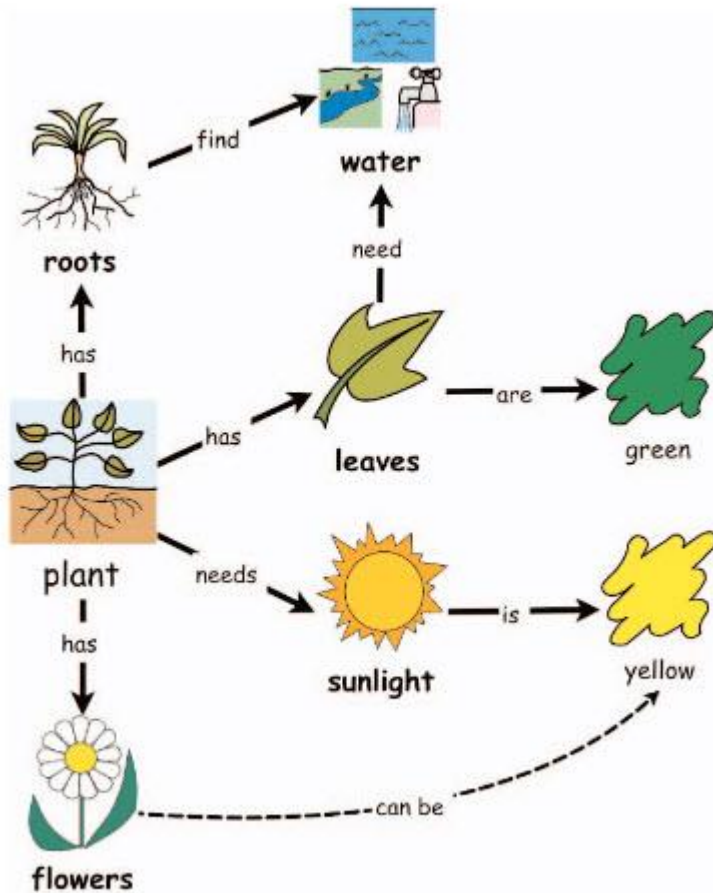
CHERIE ! T'AS PAS VU LES CLÉS ?

lacher-prise

Marianne Chanson



Concept maps



Stands
For
Something

Mnemonics

Mnemonics help you to remember by using short words that stand for something to help you. Here is a Mnemonic for REVISION. Try as hard as you can to remember it.

Rest

Exercise

Variety

Imagination

Structure

Individual

Ongoing

Not too long



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Loci



- The memory trick of memory masters
- Think about a journey you know well and the landmarks along the way
- Attach pictures or facts to each of those landmarks
- Make notes or pictures to help you remember your journey
- Repeat the journey in your head to remember key facts at each landmark

Maths journey from Mr Russell to Mrs Jok



Post-it notes/Flash cards



Post it notes

- Key words
- Definitions
- Formula
- Diagrams
- Stick on desk, door, windows or walls
- Group in subjects

Flash cards

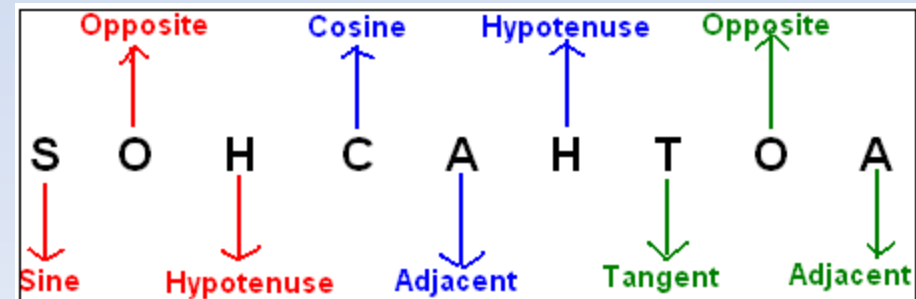
- Chunk the information
- Make visual
- Write title on back
- Use to test yourself
- Cover up and recall
- Test friends



Visual and audio tools



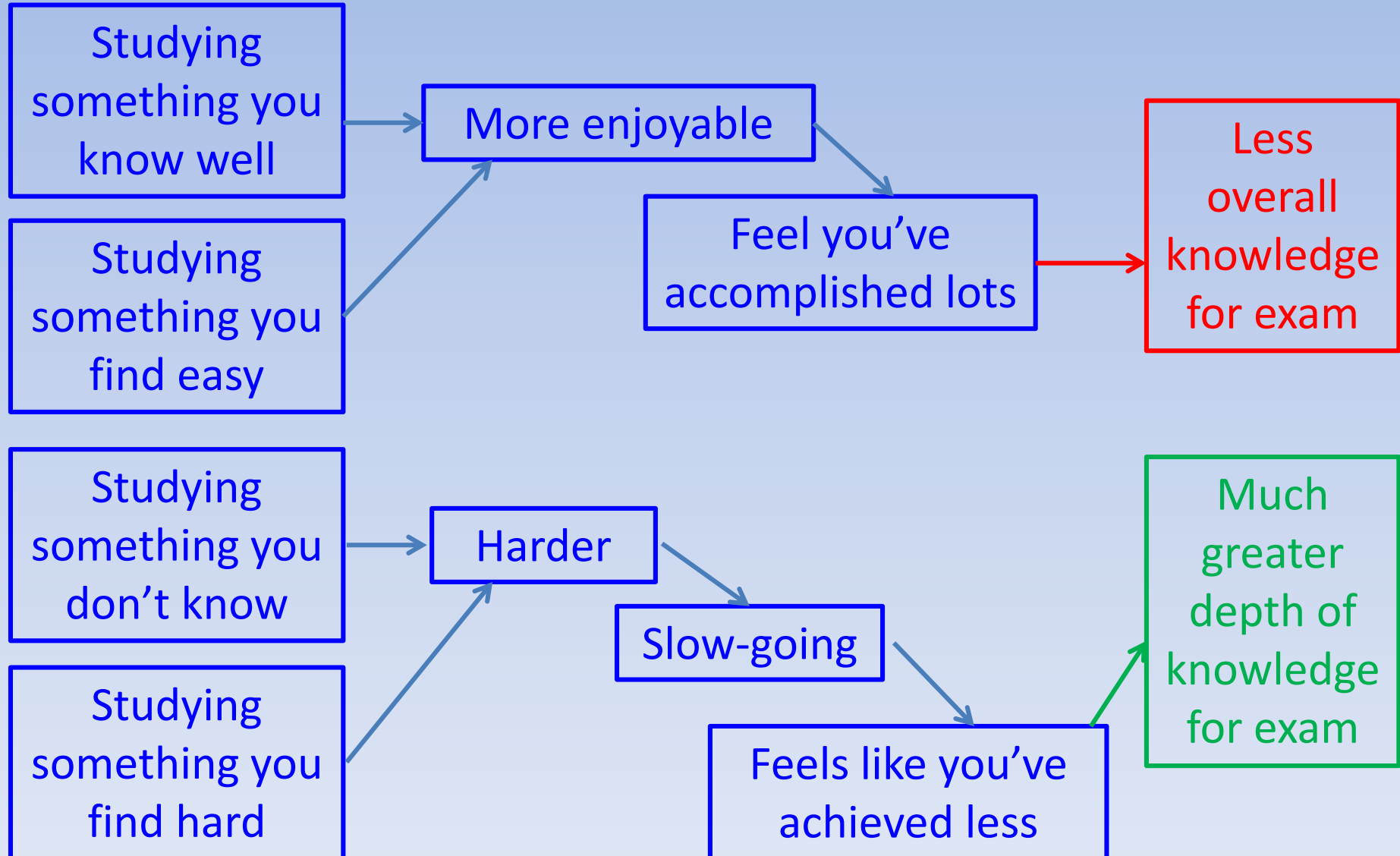
- Podcasts
- You Tube
- Subject specific videos (Corbett Maths)
- Create recordings of information for you to listen to
- Create songs or raps to help you remember (circle song)
- Create a rhyme or chant (Someone has chuckled a horrible thing on Alice)



A 3D rendering of a human brain in a vibrant blue color. The brain is shown from a side profile, facing right. A semi-transparent section is cut away from the top of the brain, revealing a complex internal structure of white lines and icons. These icons represent various concepts: a lightbulb, a globe, a magnifying glass, a laptop, a pie chart, a bar chart, a speech bubble, a question mark, a gear, a leaf, a DNA helix, a microscope, a rocket, a compass, a ruler, a pencil, a book, a camera, a clock, a calendar, a mail envelope, a cube, a sphere, a cylinder, a cone, a pyramid, a triangle, a square, a rectangle, a circle, an oval, a diamond, a hexagon, a pentagon, a heptagon, an octagon, a nonagon, a decagon, a hendecagon, a dodecagon, a trapezoid, a parallelogram, a rhombus, a kite, a trapezium, a chevron, a cross, a plus, a minus, a multiply, a divide, a percent, a hash, a dollar sign, a euro sign, a pound sign, a yen sign, a won sign, a ruble sign, a franc sign, a cent sign, a dollar, a euro, a pound, a yen, a won, a ruble, a franc, a cent, a dollar, a euro, a pound, a yen, a won, a ruble, a franc, a cent. The background is a light gray gradient. The overall image conveys the idea of a multifaceted mind or a complex system.

- Space - don't cram
- Space out your revision
- Don't spend 3 hours on one subject in a day, spread it out over 3 days, an hour a day, or 6 days, half an hour a day
- It will help you remember more
- Your brain can only hold so much, it needs space to commit to memory small amounts of information before overloading it with more
- Large amounts of information held at once will not stay for long

Focus on the things you know least well





Practise output over input

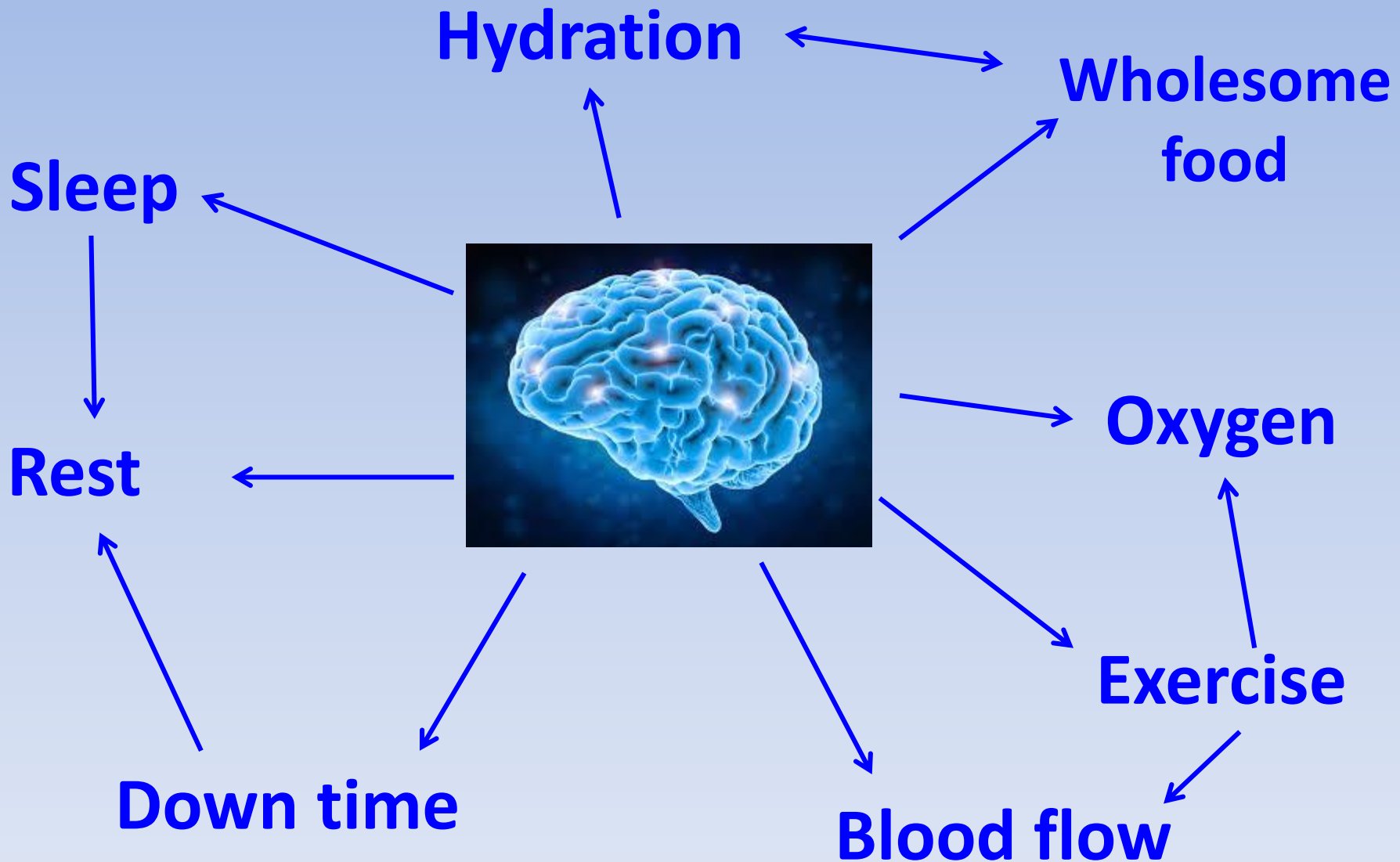
- You will be marked on how well you can answer a question
- Its tempting to spend all your time inputting information into your brain, but you omit practising the thing that you actually have to do to show how well you know everything
- PRACTISE ANSWERING QUESTIONS
- Don't wait to get fully comfortable with the material, practising answering questions will help you much more

Use your short term memory with a crib sheet

$v_{free fall} = \sqrt{2gh}$	x = displacement h = height g = gravitational constant = 9.81 m/s^2
Dynamics	
Newton's First Law $\sum \vec{F} = 0$ at equilibrium	A body continues to stay in its state of rest or uniform motion in a straight line as long as there is no net force/moment acting on the body.
Newton's Second Law $F = ma$	The acceleration of an object is directly proportional to the net force acting on it and inversely proportional to its mass.
Newton's Third Law	For every force object A acts on object B, object B will exert an equal and opposite force on object A giving rise to Reaction/Normal Forces
Resolving Forces $F_{horizontal} = F_r \cos \theta$ $F_{vertical} = F_r \sin \theta$	
Mass, Weight, Density	
Weight $w = mg$	w = Weight m = mass g = gravitational field strength
Density $\rho = \frac{m}{V}$	ρ = density m = mass V = volume
Turning effect of Force	
Moment of Force	M = Moment

Energy can be transferred or transformed or converted into other forms.	
Kinetic Model of Matter	
Ideal Gas Law $PV \propto T$ $P_1V_1 = P_2V_2$	P = pressure of fixed mass of gas V = volume occupied by fixed mass of gas T = Temperature of gas Subscript 1 = initial state Subscript 2 = final state
Thermal Properties of Matter	
Specific Heat Capacity $E = mc \Delta T$	c = Specific heat capacity (Energy required to raise the temperature of 1kg of the object by 1°C) m = mass ΔT = change in temperature.
Latent Heat For melting, $E = m L_{\text{fusion}}$ For boiling, $E = m L_{\text{vaporization}}$	L_{fusion} = latent heat of fusion (Energy required to change 1kg of solid to liquid at the constant temp) $L_{\text{vaporization}}$ = latent heat of vaporization (Energy required to change 1kg of liquid to gas at the constant temp) m = mass
General Wave Properties	
Wave Velocity $v = f \lambda$	v = velocity of a wave f = frequency λ = wavelength
Wave Frequency $f = \frac{1}{T}$	T = Period f = frequency

Look after yourself



Plan your revision

- Where are you going to work?
- De-clutter your space
- Organise your revision materials and notes
- Decorate your work space if appropriate
- Put all distractions away
- Limit your time on devices
- Spend a pre-planned agreed time revising
- Have a break
- Plan the what and the how and stick to it



Plan your revision U3

Week Beginning 18th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Evening							
Week Beginning 25th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM							
PM							
Evening							
Week Beginning 1st June							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM 1			Maths	History	English	French	
AM 2			Geography	Home Ec	English	Chemistry - for those at athletics	
PM			RPE	Physics	Biology	Chemistry	
Evening						And RELAX!	

Plan your revision L4

Week Beginning 18th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Evening							
Week Beginning 25th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM							
PM							
Evening							
Week Beginning 1st June							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM 1			History	English	RPE	Maths	Spanish/German
AM 2			Geography	Spanish Speaking	Home Ec	Physics for those at athletics	English
PM			Biology	French	GAMES	Physics	Chemistry
Evening							And RELAX!

Plan your revision U4

Week Beginning 18th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Evening							
Week Beginning 25th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM							
PM							
Evening							
Week Beginning 1st June							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM 1			Maths Calculator	English	Physics	Geography	Chemistry
AM 2			Biology	French - for those at athletics	Food	English	
PM			Spanish	History	Maths Non-Calc	French	RPE
Evening							And RELAX!

Plan your revision L5

Week Beginning 18th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Evening							
Week Beginning 25th May							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM							
PM							
Evening							
Week Beginning 1st June							
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
AM 1			Maths/Calculator	Chemistry or Combined Science	Physics or Combined science	History	PE/Camp Science/Graphic/Trillies
AM 2			History		PE	RPE	
PM			Geography/Drama/ICT/Fox A/French RMW/Spanish RMW	English	German/Art	Biology or Combined science	Maths/Rat-Calculator
Evening							And RELAX!

Good exam practise

Bring all the
equipment you
need

Read instructions
carefully

Read the
question twice

Give yourself 5
if needed

Highlight key
words

Use all the
time available

Check you've
answered the
question

Stay hydrated but
not too much

Check your
answers

Use starfish
breathing or 10
breaths to calm
nerves or anxiety

Focus on yourself,
don't let others
stress you out



Working hard is important.

But there is something
that matters even more:

Believing in Yourself.

- Harry Potter

YOU GOT THIS!