



Study Tips & Note-Taking Strategies: What Every College Student Should Know

Overview

You think you're ready for your first college exam, test, or quiz? This interactive session will provide you with proven reading, studying, and note-taking strategies for optimal performance in lectures and on exams. Facing the testing situation in college is inevitable. This workshop will show you a comprehensive system of reading, studying, and note-taking for demonstrating mastery of course material and showcasing to your professors what you have learned.

Objectives:

Students will learn:

- Consider the ways in which your learning style influences how you study
- Take effective notes in college
- Reconcile class notes with out-of-class notes on your readings
- Self-evaluate level of preparedness for exams
- Apply higher order thinking strategies to study methods
- Improve performance on multiple choice exams

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Laurie L. Hazard is the Assistant Dean for Student Success at Bryant University in Smithfield, RI. As a member of the Applied Psychology Department, she writes about parent involvement, student personality types and classroom success. She is an award-winning expert on how students can make successful transitions from high school to college. After earning her Master's of Education degree from Boston University in counseling, she received a Doctoral degree from Boston University in Curriculum and Teaching. Laurie is co-author of the book *Foundations for Learning*, 3rd Edition (2012, Prentice Hall), which is designed to help students make a successful transition to college by encouraging them to take responsibility for and claim their own education. Hazard's textbook has been adopted by colleges and universities around the country, including Boston University, University of Nevada, and Texas A&M. Richard J. Light, the Walter H. Gale Professor of Education at Harvard University, calls Hazard's book "a winner for any college student"

that is a "beautifully written joy to read."

Laurie has won numerous awards for her work with first-year students and their parents, including the National Resource Center for The First-Year Experience and Students in Transition's Outstanding First-Year Student Advocate; the Learning Assistance Association of New England's Outstanding Research and Publication Award; and the Learning Assistance Association of New England's Outstanding Service to Developmental Students Award. Most recently, Laurie received the CRLA Northeast's Outstanding Service to the Field of Developmental Education Award.

Laurie's expertise has garnered national media attention. She has been interviewed and cited as an expert in the Associated Press, Seventeen Magazine, The Chicago Tribune, The Times Picayune, The San Diego Tribune, and Student Affairs Leader. Laurie has also been a guest columnist for the Washington Post's Answer Sheet: A School Survival Guide for Parents (And Everyone Else). Her articles offer concrete advice for parents of new college students: "How to Help Your Child Adapt to College Life," and "Parents Should Leave their Kids Alone at College." Most recently, Laurie has written a book with co-presenter Stephanie Carter, called *Your Freshman Is Off To College* (2016).