

How to do your quizzing homework

We know the best way to learn new information is to quiz yourself on the information over time. That's why we will be making sure you write yourselves quizzes for your homework so you can remember the information to GCSEs and beyond.

But before you start, see the guide below on how to complete your homework to ensure you get the most learning out of it.

Writing Quizzes

1. Find a quiet place to carry out your homework, away from distractions
2. Find the information you are to quiz yourself on, on the knowledge organiser. Knowledge organisers contain all the essential information you have to know: no more, and no less
3. Read the information you need to quiz yourself on, two or three times
4. Turn the page over and try to explain what you have just read (you could do it to yourself, or to your parents perhaps). This is called **elaboration** and is very helpful in making you remember things.
5. You are now ready to start writing your quiz. Your questions should focus on simple recall of facts you need to learn.

Useful ways to start questions might be:

What is...

List all the effects of

How does.....

Define.....

You don't always have to use questions. You could also use diagrams with some of the labels missing or fill the gap sentences.

6. Make sure you write your answers down on the next page so you can't see them.
7. Once you have had feedback on your quiz, make sure you improve your questions or add new ones.

Quizzing

1. Find a quiet place to carry out your homework, away from distractions
2. Find the quiz you have been asked to quiz yourself on in your quiz book
3. On a scrap piece of paper quiz yourself on the quiz questions. Make sure you cannot see the answers and don't peek at the answers. If you aren't sure: always try the question anyway
4. Once you have finished quizzing yourself on the quiz, mark your answers against the answers in your quiz book with a green pen. Correct any misconceptions or incorrect answers.
5. Log your score in your quiz log sheet