



# **ENHANCING RECALL**



Feeling overwhelmed by exam material? Enhance your recall with these various strategies! Find what suits you best and consider attending an OAR workshop or consulting with OAR staff for a personalized learning plan.

#### **SET SPECIFIC GOALS**

Set specific, actionable goals for your study sessions. For example, plan to "review chemistry formulas in chapter 5 from 3-4pm on Sunday" instead of just "study chemistry over the weekend."



#### **START EARLY**

Begin reviewing for exams well in advance. Regularly spend 15-20 minutes per course each week going over notes to improve retention.



#### **BE SELECTIVE**

Understand the exam format and focus your study time on areas you haven't mastered yet, avoiding unnecessary review of familiar topics.



#### **IDENTIFY YOUR LEARNING STYLE**

Reflect on successful past study methods and adapt techniques that suit you best, whether visual aids or verbal repetition, tailored to each course.



### **ACCOUNTABILITY MATTERS**

Study regularly with friends or classmates who will hold you accountable. Balance group study with solo sessions to allow time for self-assessment and ensure you're truly grasping the material



#### **MAKE CONNECTIONS**

Link concepts across different weeks and see how they relate to the overall course. Stronger connections between ideas will enhance your memory retention.



## **CONSISTENT REVIEW**

Regular review is key to memory retention. Use diverse methods like mind maps, charts, audio notes, and problem sets to reinforce learning and improve recall.

