HOW do you STUDY to get GOOD MARKS in TESTS and EXAMS ?

Simon got 62 in the test. Simon's 'I.Q.' is about 90. Simon studied for 3 hours for the test.		Tony got 91 in the test. Tony's 'I.Q.' is about 90. Tony studied studied for 3 hours for the test.

So why didn't Simon get better marks in the test?

› **It's simple !** The secret is knowing how to study.

⮑ Simon just kept reading through his text book and his work book.

- This doesn't work. You should never study from text books , or just read your work book.

⮑ Text books have too much detail - this takes too long to go through

—— Plus you never remember very much of what you just read.

So what is the secret of the smart way to study?

● FIRSTLY , you can not do this worksheet if you have not done the unit on notemaking

⮑ Smart note making is the key to successful studying.

- ALSO remember from that unit - you can not study from text books.

● You study from your summaries -
⮑ that is the point form notes you made on each of your topics you studied.

● When you study for a test you don't just read your notes, you first summarise them.
⮑ you get an empty pad and make notes from your summaries.
- this way you will remember the information in the exam.

● BUT it doesn't stop there :
-To get good marks you must then revise (read over) these revision summaries
AND as you do, underline all the important words, facts, dates, e.t.c. as you go.

To aim for the really high marks...

you revise (read over) these revision notes again,
(perhaps the night before the test or exam,)
and as you do, you again underline the main words e.t.c.

and also this time you circle them.

⮑ This way you are certain to remember the information in the exam

● Using a pen at all times - writing or underlining e.t.c.,
- makes you internalise (remember) the information.

∴ The golden rule is - ' never study without a pen in your hand.'