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As the semester unfolds I will be making changes to my study habits. A lot of these things I feel like will help me get into the right habits to carry them out throughout the year. A few steps will hopefully also put me onto the right track to having good study habits and grades for this semester. I will be doing this by setting time out to study with minimal distractions, writing out all my notes on paper, and try not to cram things towards the last minute.

The first change to my study habits will be to set out time study time with minimal distractions. By this I mean I will have set times where I will drop everything I am doing to have a study session. With these study sessions, I will minimalize distractions by putting my phone on do not disturb and trying not to listen to anything in the back ground. This will help me concentrate more and hopefully retain information a little better. Usually I feel like music helps me but with music I often get carried away without realizing because of how much I like the song playing. By limiting my distractions, I will then be able to concentrate on what I need to do and get done much faster and way more efficiently. This will all lead to me having a much better semester.

Not only will I have set times for when I need to study but I will also start to write a lot of things down. Technology these days has come such a far way where people now use electronics for everything. They have slowly pushed technology into learning and schools. This has affected us in ways we aren’t even sure about yet, but basically everything is done online notes, the textbooks, assignments, etc. This is very cool how far our world has come but I don’t think it is exactly affective for everyone such as me. I still feel like pen to paper is a very important part of the learning process. Personally, for my learning style I feel like it is more affective for me to write things down to get a better understanding of them rather than just viewing them online. This is will I want to make sure that I am constantly writing down what I need to know and get done. This will help me get the knowledge into my brain and fully remember it. By just writing all my notes and such down I feel I will be more successful and have a better chance of having a good semester.

Notes are just one way I will help myself to have a better semester but I will also not wait to do everything at the very last minute. I have grown to learn that most last-minute cram sessions are not that affective. Therefore, to get the best results on my exams and fully learn the materials I need to pass I will not cram everything to the last minute. This means having things done over a period instead all at once. The first step to this is once I get an assignment I want to look over them and just go over the material. This will get the information in my head so that I am familiar with it. This will make it easier when I go to study that it is not my first time viewing the material. This simple step will hopefully up my success rate for this semester.

As I go further into the semester I will be making some changes to my study habits. A few things I will be changing to carry this out are setting time out to study with little distractions, writing out all my notes on paper, and try not to cram out everything in the last minute. Just by carrying out these things I feel I will be on track to having a good semester. With hard work and some time, I feel I will be able to fully carry out these things and be successful. Once these things are carried out fully I would have made big changes to my study habits and I would be having a good semester.