

Student Advisory Activity
9th Grade
2nd Semester – Week 17

Topic: Final Examination Preparation

Time Required: 30 minutes

Goal Statement:

Students will review test-taking strategies.

Activity Statement:

Students will assess their test-taking strategies.

Materials:

1. Pen/pencil
2. Handout, Test-taking Inventory
3. Handout, Test Check and Balance Sheet

Procedures:

1. Distribute the handouts.
2. Ask the students to complete the Test-taking Inventory.
3. Encourage the students to discuss how they can improve their weaknesses.
4. Ask students to share their responses on the inventory with the entire class.
5. Ask students to list 3 ways that they will prepare for their final exams.
6. Encourage your students to use the Test Check and Balance Sheet to help them to prepare for their tests.

Discussion Questions:

1. Why do you think final exams are given?
2. Which classes do you need to spend more time studying for?
3. How are you preparing for your final exams?
4. How has this lesson been helpful to you?

Integrative Closing Statement:

To prepare for academic success, students must develop good test-taking skills and strategies. Remind your students that improved test-taking strategies can increase their success.