



# The Cornell Note-taking System

Created by Dr. Walter Pauk from Cornell University, Cornell Note-taking is both an active and efficient way to record information and absorb it.

The Cornell Note-Taking System organises ideas spatially, so it's effective for visual learners.

By using it you are copying down new information (class notes), identifying key points (questions/key points), and summing up the main ideas of the lesson (summary).

Keep your notes clear and concise so you can absorb new information but also create a great study resource for yourself when it comes time for exams.

Steps	Cornell Notes	
	 Writing # Success	Learning Intent:
		Class/Period:
		Date:
<b>1</b>	Inquiry Question:	
Fill in the class details, learning intent and inquiry question.	Questions:	Notes:
<b>2</b>		
Take clear notes during the lesson. Use paraphrasing and visuals as needed.		
<b>3</b>		
Read over your notes and create sub-headings or questions to help you study later.		
<b>4</b>		
Complete the summary section, answering the inquiry question or following your teacher's specific instructions.	Summary:	
		
Follow this structure for clarity and success!		