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| **Awesome Study Tips and Websites for College Students** | |
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| **Spotlight Sites** | |
| Not sure how to figure out your GPA? Try out this interactive calculator. It's for the whole semester and it includes +/- letter grades. **CALCULATE YOUR GPA**-  <http://www.back2college.com/gpa.htm> | |
| **Syllabus** = **college vocabulary**. Find out what it is in this short video. **What's a Syllabus?** Sheet.  <http://www.upei.ca/media/video/y/2011/03/15/whats-a-syllabus> | |
| **Tips for taking online courses**  "Taking online classes is not necessarily the same as taking face to face courses. Get hints and tips here!" <http://distance-ed.math.tamu.edu/tipsforonline.htm> | |
| **10+** suggestions for studying with kids underfoot, from planning tasks for the kids to developing a routine, to playing with children during study breaks. Lots of specific tips here.  **Studying with kids underfoot**  <http://www.lsus.edu/offices-and-services/student-development/student-support-services/tips-for-college-students/adult-learners/studying-with-kids-underfoot> | |
| Check out College Professors expectations vs. High School teachers **How College Differs from High School** <http://www.baylor.edu/support_programs/index.php?id=88158> | |
| ***"Designing Effective Posters"***  This classic model began at the University of Kansas Medical Center. It is still in use today. Here are the step by step directions. **Poster Presentation** and how to do it.  <http://www.kumc.edu/SAH/OTEd/jradel/Poster_Presentations/PstrStart.html> | |
| **Online Learning Cost Saving Calculator**  Figure out how much you would save by taking a class online instead of driving to campus!  <http://sln.suny.edu/gs/gs_costcalculator.shtml> | |
| **Avoiding Study Traps**  Don't know where to begin? Is there too much to remember? Check out these tips to avoid the pitfalls of studying.  <http://campushealth.unc.edu/healthtopics/academic-success/avoiding-studying-traps.html> | |
| **Inventory of College Level Study Skills**  Includes 6 different areas from note taking to test prep!  <http://sarc.sdes.ucf.edu/form-studyskills> | |
| **GPA & Job Market**  **Does your GPA really matter?**  <http://www.careerbuilder.com/Article/CB-469-Getting-Hired-Does-Your-GPA-Really-Matter/?ArticleID=469&cbRecursionCnt=1&cbsid=c0bd450c21ab4ba79037ff7bddfad890-316884230-TZ-5&ns_siteid=ns_us_g_gpa> | |
| **Reading from Computer Monitors**  It's not quite the same as reading from paper.  <http://www.lib.uoguelph.ca/assistance/learning_services/handouts/reading_from_computer_monitors.cfm> | |
| **The Study Cycle: study smart, not hard**  Get the strategic approach to learning and see the whole cycle in one chart!  <http://www.utexas.edu/ugs/slc> | |
| **What your mother never told you about college"**  Includes advice from nursing students, law students and Bed Bath and Beyond!  <http://capone.mtsu.edu/chopper/mother.html> | |
| Have you ever had this problem of where you study and study **and** still bomb the test? Then The **Six Hour D** is for you!  <http://www.psywww.com/discuss/chap00/6hourd.htm> | |
| **How to Study Model** | |
| http://www.howtostudy.org/images/studymodel.jpg | |
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| **Study Skills Tools (including Electronic Flashcard apps)** | |
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| **Headmagnet –**  <http://headmagnet.com/> | Headmagnet creates a model of what's going on in your head.  It predicts what memories have faded away, and what memories are still inside, allowing you to quickly get things in your head and keep them there.  The more you use headmagnet, the better it gets at modeling what goes on in your head. |
| **StudyBlue Online Flash Cards**  <http://www.studyblue.com/online-flashcards>  **Study Blue App**  <https://itunes.apple.com/ie/app/studyblue/id323887414> | Flashcard **app** includes audio, text and graphics support. Requires a free studyblue.com account - well worth it. |
| **Quizlet**  <http://quizlet.com/>  **Quizlet Mobile**  <http://quizlet.com/mobile> | "largest flash cards and study games website" |
| **StudyHive**  <http://www.studyhive.com/> | Create your own study cards or search the public decks. You will need to download Siverlight to use the site online (the link is available at the site). Syncs with Flashcards Pro app (free) for the iPod Touch, iPhone or iPad which allows you to study anytime. |
| **Study Shack**  <http://www.studystack.com/> | Create interactive web-based flashcards or use ones that are already created; if you use stacks that are already created, check them first as there are errors in several of the created stacks. |
| **Flashcard Machine**  <http://www.flashcardmachine.com/> | Allows the user to create interactive web-based study flash cards. |
| **Cramberry**  <http://www.cram.com/> | Clean and simple online interactive flash card tool. If you are looking for simplicity, this will work for you. No bells or whistles; just a simple user interface. (a $ 3.99 iTunes app is also available). |
| **RecallPlus**  <http://recallplus.com/index.php> | Students can organize their notes, create flashcards, make use of 3D tools and more in this great mind mapping tool. It is downloadable. |
| **MyMentor**  <http://mymentor.ru/> | Create, share and study flashcards online; download flashcards in printable format. |
| **WordStash**  <http://flashcardstash.com/> | Half flashcard, half dictionary, and full awesome! |
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| **How to Write and How to Study - by Subject**  Need to know how to study math? Write a chemistry lab report? Or how to pass a psychology final? All the study strategies and writing techniques are organized here by subject matter (29 subjects).  <http://www.howtostudy.org/resources.php> | |
| **Other Online Study Tools** |  |
| [**http://www.examtime.com/notes-software/**](http://www.examtime.com/notes-software/) |  |
| [**http://www.studygs.net/**](http://www.studygs.net/) |  |
| [**http://www.dropmind.com/**](http://www.dropmind.com/) |  |
| [**http://pocketmod.com/**](http://pocketmod.com/) |  |
| [**http://www.funnelbrain.com/**](http://www.funnelbrain.com/) |  |
| [**http://www.glencoe.com/sec/math/studytools/index.php4**](http://www.glencoe.com/sec/math/studytools/index.php4) |  |
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