**How Good a Student are You?**

**Answer yes or no.**

1. Can you think of anything that prevents you from doing your best work?

2. Do you usually study every day in the same place?

3. Do you usually know in the morning how you are going to spend your day?

4. Does your desk have anything on it that might distract you from your work?

5. When studying, do you frequently skip the graphs or tables in your textbooks?

6. Do you occasionally make simple charts or diagrams to represent points in your reading?

7. When you find a word that you do not know, do you look it up in the dictionary?

8. Do you usually skim a chapter before reading it in detail?

9. Do you usually glance through a chapter, looking at paragraph headings, before reading it in detail?

10. Do you usually read the summary at the end of a chapter before reading the chapter?

11. Do you keep your notes for one subject all together?

12. Do you usually take notes on the lecture in outline form?
13. Do you usually take notes on your reading in outline form?

14. Do you usually try to summarize your readings in a sentence or short paragraphs?

15. After you have read a chapter and taken notes on it, do you usually write a summary of the chapter as a whole?

16. Do you sit up studying late the night before an examination?

17. In preparing for an examination, do you try to memorize the text?

18. When you memorize something, do you usually do it all at one time?

19. Do you at times try to analyze your work to see just where you might be weak?

20. Do you often write an answer to a question and then realize that it seems to be the answer to some other questions on the examination?

21. Do you try to use facts you learn in one course to help you with your work in other courses?

22. Do you usually take notes in class just as rapidly as you can write?

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