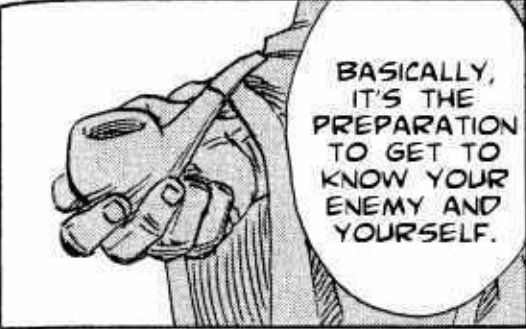



AND THIS IS ALSO THE PREPARATION TIME FOR YOU EXAMINATION STUDENTS.

IN OTHER WORDS...

IN ADDITION TO INFORMING ALL THE VARIOUS COUNTRY LORDS AND SHINOBI LEADERS, THIS IS THE TIME NEEDED TO ARRANGE FOR THE GATHERING OF THE EVENT...



BASICALLY, IT'S THE PREPARATION TO GET TO KNOW YOUR ENEMY AND YOURSELF.




I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE TRYING TO SAY! WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

THIS GEEZER, HE ALWAYS MAKES THINGS COMPLICATED WHEN HE TALKS.



THAT'S FOR SURE!

I'D NEVER IMAGINE THAT HE WOULD USE SAND AS A WEAPON.



THE BATTLES UP TO NOW HAD YOU FIGHT AS IF YOU WERE IN AN ACTUAL COMBAT SITUATION WITH...

THE ASSUMPTION OF FIGHTING AN UNKNOWN OPPONENT.

IT'S THE TIME PERIOD WHERE YOU WILL CALCULATE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING

BY ANALYZING THE DATA YOU ACCUMULATED DURING THE TRIAL COMPETITION.

