**Tips for your seminar paper (Q12)**

Think of a real good topic question, since a good topic question makes it much easier for you to find a good structure for your paper

Begin as soon as possible to work on your seminar paper.

Plan enough time to correct and revise.

Have your finished seminar paper read by a few people, ask for feedback: if you struggle: talk with s.o. who is not into your topic about it. (Mrs Wiese would also be very suitable for that) - others often see much faster if things are logical, understandable etc. Or: have a short break and go for a walk or something. sometimes you're so deep in the subject that you don't see the solution, even though it's obvious – accept criticism.

Do not write the seminar paper in one piece, but plan enough breaks.

Keep close contact with the seminar teacher. Don't be shy to ask for help when it is needed.

Keep your research documents organised (screenshot your sources immediately) and structure your thoughts carefully. Try to use books as sources.

Note the format requirements of the seminar paper - plan enough time for formalities and proofreading. At the end, when you're done writing, you just think you're done, but then you have to, create a table of contents, check the spelling, etc., which is extremely time-consuming

Don't be frustrated if you have writer's block and focus on your own progress.