Northland Highways: Testing

Suppose your professor just announced that there will be a midterm exam in class in one week. The exam will cover the first five weeks of the semester which includes information on seven chapters from the textbook. The professor provided a study guide, but it essentially lists all the major concepts and topics in those seven chapters. There will be a two-hour session with the tutor two days before the exam and the professor has two one-hour office hours between now and the exam. You generally like this class and want to do well in it, but the material is all fairly new to you. Finally, you have three other classes (not including Highways) that all have some “thing” that needs to get done (i.e., lab reports, paper reflections, readings, another exam).

1. List all of the thoughts you had when the professor announced this exam. How are you feeling about the exam at this point?
2. What will you do between now and the night before the exam to prepare for the exam?
3. What will you do the night before the exam to prepare for the exam? How will you feel about the exam at this time?
4. What will you do the morning of the exam (assume the exam is mid-morning after one of your other classes meets)? How will you feel about the exam at this time?
5. What will you do in the first few minutes that you receive the exam from the professor (i.e., how will you “attack” taking the exam)? What will you be feeling at this time?
6. What will you do immediately after the exam? What will you be feeling at this time?