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Part 1 of 2 – **~~Time~~ Attention Management**

**What will you do to be successful with your ~~time~~ attention? (60 points, see instructions)**

🡺 What you'll do (5 points)

1a. Create a proper timetable.

🡺 Why and how you'll do it (15 points)

1b. Creating a timetable have always been my first priority, my father has always told me since my childhood that I should start keeping an account of how much time I spend on each activity when I was in school, I didn’t used to think about it much but now in college it has come up as a saviour. For the first few days I didn’t create a proper timetable but just an account of at what time I was doing which thing to help get an idea of which task is taking how much time. Then after analysing all the results of the first few days, I created a timetable which suits both my leisure and productive time and now the only thing left to do is following it strictly which could be a difficult task but as my father would’ve said “You cannot accomplish greatness unless you test yourself to the brim”.

🡺 What you'll do (5 points)

2a. Lessen the procrastination by focusing on important things.

🡺 Why and how you'll do it (15 points)

2b. Procrastination have always been a big concern for me, I tend to lose interest in stuff easily I start big on things and then I start procrastinating and lose the motivation to finish it. So, in order to attention on the management of time I will start procrastinating less and focus more on the important things and try to do them first and foremost. By constantly reminding myself to do the work, so doing a kind of keeping myself in guilt so that I get out of my bed and do that work, this method is somewhat depressing but I think that it could be the only one that eventually gives me enough motivation, I could also ask the people around me to scold me whenever they see that I am free and not doing my work. (There is also a business idea in it, could create a company out of people to hire for telling you to do your work 🤖)

🡺 What you'll do (5 points)

3a. Cutting off the social media and phone in general

🡺 Why and how you'll do it (15 points)

3b. Phones in this world are a major headache for every person whose trying to be productive. Phones and social media combined eat up the majority part of my day so I seriously have to put a hold on both. To do this I would start by firstly deactivating my social media accounts and then uninstalling all the apps which deem overly timewasting to me. Secondly for cutting on the overall usage of the phone I would install a ZEN mode app that lock me out of my phone for a set period of time as this won’t allow me to use my phone I would ultimately be forced to do something productive. Phone being my major problem I could also opt for buying a phone which is not smartphone like just a good old phone with buttons to practice some mindfulness. Sadly, all the steps would fail if I just not put out enough efforts

Part 2 of 2 – **User Interfaces** (40 points for 300+ words)

Earlier when I hadn’t started CPP at Seneca I was only familiar with the Graphic User Interface (GUI) it is easy enough for anyone to use and get pro in it. But as my course started I was introduced to UNIX/LINUX in my ULI101 course and there we use the Command Line Interface (CLI) as I am a beginner to it I am having difficulties in using it as it is totally different from GUI, we have to remember the commands and its case—sensitive to so we have to keep a check on that too and also where space is used and where not, if this question was asked few weeks back the answer would’ve been in favour of GUI but now I feel that Command Line Interface is better as it gives me a power of control (and also sometimes when I am working at my home in CLI the people around me are fascinated by it and I feel like a pro software developer )

Command Line Interface is much powerful than Graphical interface as it allows us to perform tasks quickly using commands, it provides flexibility we could use multiple commands using the pipe command and we could also create links which is a somewhat equivalent of shortcuts in the windows, aliases could be created for long commands and that would do the work in a matter of clicks on the keyboard this type of customization is not possible in Graphical Interface, CLI is also portable and provide remote access we could connect to remote servers through SSH command ( as we connect to the matrix of the Seneca college, this type of thing isn’t possible in GUI)

GUI doesn’t provide that level of precision as it is in CLI it is not portable does not have remote access it maybe best for the beginners but once someone tries the other interfaces GUI starts to seem bland and very basic. I have not used Text User Interface yet and I don’t know much about them so I don’t know if they would be good or not, other interfaces like voice based are also developed but they seem to be very futuristic and also might not be used that much in the present as some of them are still in their earlier stages of development.