**STUDY STRATEGIES IN COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY**

Education is the key to success. And this success is only attainable through attending schools, colleges and universities. College and university prepare students for their career and future and provide knowledge. These institutes are very similar when it comes to studies, they have similar structure in their teaching, both teach us the courses that we want to pursue, but college is a base that moulds us to overcome our doubts about our future, so we are certain when it comes to joining university. But to get good grades in both some sort of strategy is required.

Colleges are like schools, the teaching system is similar to that of schools. Students are provided with all the material that comes in their examination and tests. Hence, they don’t have to prepare anything outside of their textbooks. The only thing that a student needs in order to ace his/her exam or test is the textbook assigned; therefore, group studies are not a thing. Even if one is behind a subject, he/she can easily cover up by going through the textbook. It is easy to memorise the syllabus as you attend the same lessons every day.

In university, the courses are identical to the one in colleges, but more advance. The information in university is not bounded to the material provided by teacher. Anything that slightly falls under the topic ultimately becomes part of the curriculum. Thus, one has to be aware of every aspect. Since there are no regular classes one needs to maintain a timetable for keeping track of the topics covered and revising them daily. Procrastination in university can cause serious issues like deteriorating grade or worse failing a course. Attendance is mandatory in universities because the lectures are never repeated and unlike college one cannot go to the teacher to ask them to explain it again. Once you are left behind, you spend the upcoming lectures in confusion, as they are all interlinked.

One can say that college and university are similar when it comes to studies, but college is a child play compared to a university. In university one gets so caught up with assignment and quizzes that he finds it hard to take time out for studies. While in college one is seldom assigned any assignment, and even if he is they are either very easy or the teachers are lenient enough to let help them. Universities prepare us for the big world which does not go easy on anyone. Usually study groups are considered to be helpful and effective, but some students like seclusion.

Even though these two institutes are similar to each other, but one has to strive much harder in university in order to score good grades. One will be confused in a lesson if he has skipped the previous one. University requires commitment while college is more about punctuality. University is all about awareness and knowledge about the courses. Unlike college, it is not limited to a single textbook.