

## Guidelines for running study groups

Set ground rules for the group (possibly with a written agreement)

Meet regularly

Avoid allowing the group to become a place for note-gathering or substitute for attending class

Avoid allowing one or two people to dominate the group.

## Tips & strategies for effective study groups

Assign roles to group members

Take turns teaching & leading

Discuss lecture notes to learn important concepts

Relate & apply new concepts to old information

Quiz one another or brainstorm possible test questions that involve applying concepts

Work together

understand everyone plays a role

each has different strengths/weaknesses