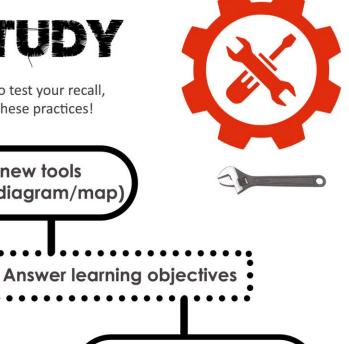
TOOLS FOR ACTIVE STUDY

When it comes time to review or work with materials, there are many strategies you can use to test your recall, understanding, and ability to apply information and knowledge. Fill your study toolkit with these practices!



Draw diagrams/images from memory

Define key terms

Turn notes/slides into flashcards

Summarize your notes

Answer

Questions!

Turn notes into "what if?" questions. What would happen if some element were changed? Supply missing info from charts/diagrams/images

Teach/explain material to someone else



Don't wait until you "feel ready" to self-test! Testing before you feel 100% ready will help you identify what you know versus what you need to work on. Use active study and self-testing to identify your priorities and focus your time.

Create new tools

(chart/diagram/map)

And remember: always look for ways to challenge yourself early and often!