

1- Read and choose the correct answer – leer y elegir la opción correcta.

## How to Be a Successful Student

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While many students think that intelligence is key, in fact, dedication and focus is much more important to student success than any other factor. So, if you want to be a great student, with great marks, follow our six guidelines below to develop winning habits.

### Review schoolwork on the same day

Go over everything you did in school on the same day, while it is still fresh. That way, you can fix the material in your mind or identify topics that you need help with. If you find that you need help, you can ask your teacher the following day.

### Write everything down

Writing has been scientifically proven to aid in committing things to memory. Having notes also helps when you need to revise for a test.

### Don't multitask

When you sit down to study, turn off the TV, radio, notifications on your phone and any other distractions from electronic devices. It is best not to check emails and messages and not to take phone calls.

### Intelligence vs hard work

Don't overestimate the value of intelligence and don't



underestimate the value of hard work. Great effort will yield great results.

### Pace yourself

Most students can't focus for more than an hour. Our suggestion is to study for forty-five minutes and rest for fifteen, before returning to work.

### Break things down into smaller tasks

When you have a big task, like a project or a test to study for, make a list of all the small steps you must take to get you to your final goal successfully.

*Follow these six easy steps and you will become the student you dream of being, getting the great marks and success you know you can achieve.*

1- What is the article about?

- a How to be an intelligent student.
- b How to be an outstanding student.
- c How to be a knowledgeable student.

3- This advice is for ...

- a students.
- b parents.
- c teachers.

2- How many tips does the article offer?

- a six
- b seven
- c eight

2- Write TRUE  or FALSE .

- 1 for student success.
- 2 It is not necessary to go over the day's schoolwork.
- 3 Taking notes has been proved to help students remember what they study.
- 4 Successful students should do two things at the same time.
- 5 Students are advised to study for two hours straight without a break.
- 6 It is best to take things step by step.