

410 Revision : Tips and strategies.

Do you agree with any of the following statements?

1. Revision is, like, boring.
2. Revision can be put off until the last minute.
3. Revision is not important: I have other things to do that are more important.
4. Revision only works close to the exam time: there is no point in revising early.
5. I don't need a revision plan: I know what I need to do in my head.
6. There is not so much to revise so I'll be fine.
7. There are some subjects for which I do not need to revise.
8. There are some subjects for which it is not possible to revise.
9. I can only revise on my own: there is no point in revising with other students.
10. Its better not to revise, it only confuses me.

If you agree with any of these statements, you are in trouble as far as exam preparation and good learning are concerned!

Thinking like this will block your learning and limit your ability to achieve.

So what is the point of revision?

1. Checking your understanding.
2. Make links between topics
3. Reminding yourself of material you have forgotten.
4. Reinforcing your learning.
5. Identifying and filling in gaps in your knowledge.
6. Developing fluency and confidence