

Using Sticky Notes in a Creative Way

How:

1. When reading your chapter for the first time, pick out difficult material.
2. Try to think, what might my professor ask about this material?
3. Create a sticky note with a question in the same format as your instructor. Your questions should be similar to what your instructor might ask and challenging for you.



4. Repeat with as many questions as you think you need. Set a goal of amount of sticky notes you want for each chapter.
5. Keep an answer key at the end of the chapter.
6. A few days later go back and see if you can get all of your questions right. If you miss any, review those sections of the book

Purpose:

1. Help read more actively by thinking, “What will the professor want me to know” while reading.
2. Have a practice test for yourself to go over before your test.

Modifications:

1. Can use sticky notes to mark sections that you want to re-read later.
2. Use them to make a chart or diagram to help you remember.
3. Use sticky notes to link textbook with important information mentioned in class.
4. You can use sticky notes to post mnemonics in your text book.