



# TIPS FOR ORGANIZING A STUDY GROUP

**Study groups are a great way to reinforce learning. They help students fill in knowledge gaps, prevent procrastination, stay organized, learn faster, and gives new perspective.**

## **Limit numbers.**

4-6 members is the maximum recommended size of a study group as larger groups tend to lose focus.

## **Use technology.**

Skype or Google Hangouts can be used for when members can't meet in person.

## **Get organized.**

Set a format for how the session will run to stay on track.

**Location.** Study groups can use the local library, a classroom at school or even a quiet coffee shop or park.

## **Time.**

The group should meet at the same time each week for 2-3 hours.

## **Be prepared.**

Bring your notes, textbook, paper, pens, laptop, etc.

## **Have clear goals.**

Members need to be serious about improving grades and their willingness to participate.

## **Appoint a leader.**

Appointing a leader each week will help keep the session on track.

## **Review each**

**session.** Finish each study session with a review summary.

