

## Survival Tips: Before you Begin a Test

1. Preview the test before you answer anything.
2. Do a “mind-dump.” Using what you saw in the preview, make notes of anything you think you might forget. Write down things that you used in learning the material that might help you remember. Ex. Mnemonics
3. Quickly calculate how much time you should allow for each section according to the point value. (You don’t want to spend 30 minutes on an essay question that counts only 5 points.)