Learning Style Student Worksheet

The purpose of this worksheet is to determine how you learn best, to save you time while studying for your classes, and to prepare for the CPA Exam.

Question #1: Are you an auditory/visual learner or prefer to self-study?
Do you gain a better understanding of accounting topics in class (visual/auditory learner) or on your own via reading the text or completing questions (self-studier)?

Question #2: How do you memorize?
Do you create your own flashcards/chapter outlines by hand?
If yes, what % of time studying do you spend creating these resources? Do the benefits received from creating these resources outweigh the time spent?

If no, why not, are you able to quickly memorize definitions using your current method?

Challenge:
Using trial and error see which method above is the most effective AND efficient method for you to memorize definitions.
Question #3: Do you cram or constantly review old materials?

Do you constantly review your accounting materials throughout the semester? Or do you wait until the end and cram?

- If you constantly review everything you have learned do you find that it is easier to study and actually recall what you have learned throughout the semester? How much time do you spend reviewing every week? Do you feel that it gets in the way of your learning?

- If you are someone who crams do you find that you forget everything that you have learned at the beginning of the semester by the time you get to final exams? Make it a personal challenge to spend just 15-20 minutes a week reviewing everything you have covered since the beginning of the semester.

End Result

Depending on how you answered these questions will help you in determining how to pick a CPA review course.

Everyone learns differently so it is crucial that you understand exactly how you learn best so that you can spend the least amount of time studying for the CPA exam so that you can cover (and truly understand) as much material as possible in a short time frame.

By experimenting with different study methods in college, it is going to drastically increase your chances of passing the CPA exam on your first try.

If you would like to identify which review course is best for you based on how you learn best here is the best resource:

https://www.cpaexamguide.com/best-cpa-review-courses
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Bottom line: I believe those who do nothing achieve nothing.