

Study Guide Template

General overview

Key concepts

Ideas to explain, connect, or apply

Important facts

Dates, evidence, rules, or supporting details

Vocabulary and key concepts

Term, meaning, and example

Terms and definitions

Term - definition - example or connection

Formulas rules people and events

Use the sections that fit your subject

Formulas or rules

Define symbols, conditions, and exceptions

Important people or events

Explain why each one matters

Practice questions

Recall, explain, compare, and apply

Questions and answers

Write each prompt and the evidence or answer beside it

Review priorities and big ideas

Decide what needs another pass

Weak areas or questions to review

Name the specific confusion or missing step

Summary and big ideas

Explain the main relationships in your own words

Completed Example

Fictional general-science example - replace with your own material

Course or subject	General Science
Unit or topic	Water cycle
Key concept	Water changes state and moves among the atmosphere, land, and bodies of water.
Vocabulary	Evaporation: liquid water changing into water vapor.
Practice question	How are evaporation and condensation related?
Needs review	How groundwater returns to surface water.
Big idea	Energy and gravity drive repeated movement and state changes in the water cycle.