

STRATEGIES FOR *SUCCESS*

(Algebra II)

PAY ATTENTION IN CLASS

- “Catch yourself” when you begin to daydream and “force” yourself to become more engaged during a lesson
- “Ignore” and/or avoid distractions (noises, friends in class etc) during a lesson
- Take notes!

HONESTLY TRY EVERY PROBLEM FROM EVERY ASSIGNMENT

- Learn to value assignments
- Attempt to do your assignment on the day you have class- NOT days later
- View “video lessons” from the textbook Web site (www.PHSchool.com) from www.khanacademy.org and/or www.hippocampus.org
- Use the Rose Hulman’s Homework Hotline (1-877-ASK-Rose) or the MAC for help
- Use the answers to help you get the answer
- Have a *study buddy*!

USE STUDY TIME WISELY

- Use the time to work on assignments and ask questions

KNOW WHY AN ANSWER WAS INCORRECT

- Using a colored pen or pencil, mark the problem(s) you miss
- Make notes next to the problems you miss
- You should not leave class unless you know how to do every problem from the last assignment
- Take online quizzes from the textbook Web site for more practice

STUDY FOR TESTS

- Review every problem from every assignment and know how to do each one
- Honestly do the Review Problems provided to you
- Take the online Chapter Test from the textbook Web site and/or do the **Chapter Review** from the textbook
- Work with your study buddy

LEARN FROM THE MISTAKES YOU MAKE ON A TEST

- Honestly and completely correct every problem missed on a test