## Final Exam Preparation: Tips and Tricks

## Final Exam Schedule 2019

|  | Monday <br> June 10 | Tuesday <br> Tune 17th | Wednesday <br> June 12th | Thursday <br> 9:30AM - <br> June 13 th |
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| My exam is: | Day 2, Period <br> 2 | Day 3, <br> Period 2 | Day 4, <br> Period 3 | Day 1, <br> Period 7 |
| 9:30AM - <br> 9:50AM | BREAK | BREAK | BREAK | BREAK |

## Please note:

- You are not required to be in school if you are not scheduled to take a final exam.
- All morning buses run on the usual schedule. Afternoon buses will leave the school at 12:10.
- Make-up exams may take place each afternoon, June $14^{\text {th }}$, or June $17^{\text {th }}$.
o Students must make arrangements with their teachers to make up an exam.


## Preparing for Exams:

- Once the exam is announced, or you receive a study guide, find out what kind of exam it will be: multiple choice, short answer, essay
- Immediately start working on completing the study guide
 or creating a content summary sheet
- Spend the days leading up to the exam, reviewing the completed study guides/summary sheets
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## Tips for Day of Exams:

- Eat before a test, having food in your stomach will give you energy and help you focus.
- Don't try to pull an all-nighter, Get at least three hours of sleep before the test.
- When you first receive the test, do a quick survey of the entire test so that you know how to efficiently budget your time.
- Do the easiest problems first; don't stay on a problem you are stuck on, especially when time is a factor.
- Don't rush, but pace yourself, read the entire question and look for key words.
- Write legibly, if the teacher can't read what you wrote, you can't get credit for the right answer!
- Keep a positive attitude throughout the whole test and try to stay relaxed. If you start to feel nervous, take a few deep breathes to relax.
- Don't worry if others finish before you; focus on the test in front of you.


