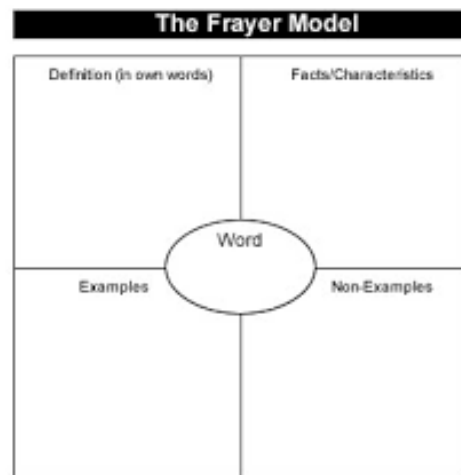


## Help your teen succeed in science

*For parents of students in the intermediate and senior grades*

### Study Tools and Strategies:

- flashcards/Quizlet
- Frayer model
- concept maps
- mind maps
- reiterate lesson out loud
- teach and quiz peers/siblings/parents
- be curious!
  - research beyond what is asked
  - look for patterns, trends, relationships, connections
  - look for hidden factors/ errors in an experiment
- use/draw diagrams
- review animations and simulations
- practice, practice, practice!!!  
(physics and chemistry in particular)



### Keys to Success:

- be an active participant during discussions, group activities and labs
- ask questions in class when you don't understand a concept or need clarification
- keep an organised binder
- do all of the work
- review the lesson notes on a **daily** basis
- attempt questions found in the Chapter and Unit Review sections of the textbook
- seek extra help as soon as difficulty in learning arises
- start studying for a test at least 3 days prior to the test
- carefully review the guidelines and expectations (rubric) for each assignment
- start working on the completion of an assignment as soon as it is assigned
- seek feedback from the teacher prior to submitting an assignment
- **DO YOUR BEST!**

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