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Learning Tips

1. *Successful students persist. They concentrate on the task and work on it until they have completed it successfully. They ask for help when they get stuck.*
2. *Successful students have self-control. They act thoughtfully.*
3. *Successful students listen with understanding. They are open to hearing another point of view.*
4. *Successful students think flexibly. They are able to view a situation from many perspectives and their minds are open to change.*
5. *Successful students use problem-solving and decision-making skills. They can make a plan, monitor their thinking, evaluate their progress and work out new ways to proceed and learn.*
6. *Successful students strive for accuracy and precision. They know what level they need to reach and are not satisfied with sloppy work.*
7. *Successful students ask questions. They are curious and seek evidence. They analyse ideas. They use lots of strategies to solve problems.*
8. *Successful students think and communicate clearly and accurately, both in speech and in writing. They avoid dismissing new ideas.*
9. *Successful students create, imagine and innovate. They look for different ideas and can think of original ideas of their own.*
10. *Successful students respond with wonderment and awe. They are fascinated with the world around them and are open to discovering new things.*
11. *Successful students co-operate. They know how to work together with others.*
12. *Successful students are open to continual learning. They admit when they do not know something and are eager to find out. They are always growing and learning.*