THE EIGHT DAY STUDY PLAN

**DAY ONE:** Find any old tests available; divide the material you are responsible for into 4 equal sections. Allow time to plan this to the best of your ability. How I will break up the material?

A:  
B:  
C:  
D:  

**DAY TWO:** Thoroughly review all material in Part A (write study sheets, identify main points, draw visual aids, and quiz yourself). If you have any problems with the material, see your instructor. What will I study? How will I study it? Why this method?

**DAY THREE:** Thoroughly review all material in Part B (write study sheets, identify main points, draw visual aids, and quiz yourself). If you have any problems with the material, see your instructor. What will I study? How will I study it? Why this method?

**DAY FOUR:** Thoroughly review all material in Part C (write study sheets, identify main points, draw visual aids, and quiz yourself). If you have any problems with the material, see your instructor. What will I study? How will I study it? Why this method?

**DAY FIVE:** Thoroughly review all material in Part D (write study sheets, identify main points, draw visual aids, and quiz yourself). If you have any problems with the material, see your instructor. What will I study? How will I study it? Why this method?

**DAY SIX:** Review Parts A and B fully

**DAY SEVEN:** Review Parts C and D fully

**DAY EIGHT:** Review Parts A, B, C, D fully. Pay special attention to problem areas

**TEST DAY:** Use your very best test-taking strategies during the exam  
What test taking strategies will I use?

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