TIPS FOR STUDENTS FROM STUDENTS

How to color code

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I think color coding is personal, however, I will propose three methods of color coding a law student can use:

One color per subject:
I personally use this method in which I choose a color for every one of the subjects. For example, I used yellow for personal injury.
I would go back to my notes and put the important concept in yellow before printing my notes. I then go back on them and highlight all important information and I underline the sections of law applicable.
I also apply this method to keywords in sections of the law.

Color coding applicable to all subject:

- Yellow: case laws (I would also suggest using one color for the majority and another one for the dissenting judgement)
- Green: sections of law or name of law
- Blue: important information
- Pink: highlight any and/or you can find
- Orange: delays (prescription, etc.)

Facts, Law, Application:

- Blue: important facts
- Pink: law/sections of law
- Green: application of law

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