## **Get organised!**

Read through these tips for organising yourself and your work. Rank them in order of usefulness from 1 to 12. Compare your ranking with a partner. Do you agree? If not, why not?

Keep a list of 'to do' things and tick them off as you go along throughout the day.	Prioritise your work and set dates to complete each piece, making sure these are realistic.	Make sure you sleep for at least eight hours a night or as many hours as you need to feel okay.
Know and use your learning styles and strengths in all your work activities.	Make up a study calendar every week and try to keep to your targets.	Make sure you have a good place to work and concentrate with minimal distractions.
Try to avoid using your mobile when you are working and leave it in a place where you can't see it.	Set clear time limits for each activity and try to keep to them.	Don't keep comparing yourself to others who work differently or approach activities differently to you.
Set out all the things you need for your work tasks the night before.	Eat, rest, play and work in a balanced way.	Plan regular breaks and rewards when you are working/studying and use these wisely.



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