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Exam-Preparation: Think of Exam Questions

Just brainstorming on possible exam questions is not effective unless you tie in with this strategy:

- Guide your brainstorm with what types of exam questions your instructor could ask from the readings.
- Does your instructor often have “how”, “what”, and “why” questions?
- Does your instructor also ask “when”, “where”, “which”, and “who” questions?

To help organize your questions, consult your instructor’s learning outcomes (what you need to know) on the course syllabus:

- This helps you focus on the main key concepts and topics that were discussed in the reading and lectures that the instructor deems as important.