What is your online learning goal? How will you know when you’ve reached it?

How the Cornell Method Works

Topic: 
Speaker/Event: 
Date: 

Essential Question:
Before the lecture, write down the biggest question you have about the topic you’ll be covering.

Questions:
As soon as possible after the lesson, come up with questions based on your notes. Challenge yourself to ask real questions — not just about facts that you answer in the notes column, but about the significance of what you’re learning.

Notes:
Take short, essential notes, paraphrasing what you hear instead of writing verbatim.

Summary:
After you’ve written down your questions, sum up what you’ve learned.