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- Ideal Time to be taken to complete CBSE board paper: Science: 1:45 out of 2:30 hrs; SST: 2:30 hrs out of 3; English : 2-2:30 hrs out of 3 & Maths : 2:15 hrs out of 3.
- Unnecessary 'decoration' of the answer paper is to be avoided but the handwriting should be presentable and legible.
- SST: Answers must be strictly in points, which must be in a gradual order and NOT repetitive {unless of course the various parts of the question are similar} Highlighting (underlining) the "keywords" is standard and necessary.
- English: Avoid flowery language when not needed. Try to end essays, speeches with a quote and write them as per the prescribed board format as it carries certain marks in itself. The essence of the chapters needs to be absorbed rather than focussing on the answers plainly. Yet, the answers need to be to the point and within the word limit
- Science MCQ: The questions are easy but one must first decide the answer without seeing the options and then decide the option to avoid confusion due to the variety. But the other options must not be neglected in haste; instead they must be reviewed to avoid mistakes.
- Adequate sleep is absolutely necessary and the student must sleep and rise at the time at which they were comfortable in usual times. Sleeping less reduces efficiency and does more harm than good.
- Scoring to the maximum of one's capability is the key, undue stress/tension is not to be taken at ANY cost – it can degrade performance drastically.

His feedback about IIT ian's PACE after 1 year

“The teaching standards a PACE are excellent, way beyond imagination. I'll run out of words praising the professors! The atmosphere, the competition, the booklets, test schedule, difficulty level of the tests are all very standardised and perfect. The booklets are fantastic, the reason being they are a culmination of all sorts of problems to attain a level of maturity in the topic adequate to crack JEE problems. [As a matter of fact, I currently have another CBSE board topper and the ICSE board topper as classmates!] Ultimately, end results matter and undoubtedly, the results that PACE has produced consistently are unmatched in Mumbai, and even in comparison to classes in other regions, I'm sure...”