

Making Concept Cards

The purpose of the concept cards is simply a mechanism of documenting information in a way that is meaningful to the students. This can include definitions, formulas, sample problems that are worked out, pictures, diagrams, graphs, charts, or tables. These cards can be taped to a piece of cardstock or directly into the student's science notebook in a way that they can simply flip them up to get more information.

Guidelines:

- One concept per card
- Put the name of the concept on the bottom of the side of the card that will face up
- When adding information to the back side of the card, flip the card so that the top part of the front side is the bottom part of the back side
- Be creative
- When they are taped put a piece of tape along the top of the card, flip it over and put a piece of tape along the back at the same place

