# How to Use the Easy-Moderate-Hard Study Plan

## EASY

For concepts, key terms, main ideas, chapters, or sections that you feel **CONFIDENT** about, type them in the **EASY** column.

Start studying at least 2 days before test day.

*Skim very briefly* through the chapter sections, modules, PowerPoints, and lecture. Do not focus your study time and attention here.

If you are still having difficulty with the concept, do a full re-read.

## MODERATE

For concepts, key terms, main ideas, chapters, or sections that you feel **OKAY** about, type them in the **MODERATE** column.

Start studying at least 4 days before test day.

Do a *partial re-read* of the chapter sections, modules, PowerPoints, and lectures. Read the first sentence of each paragraph in the section to better grasp main ideas. Identify the area of the section that give you the most difficulty. Then, skim through the remainder of those paragraphs.

## HARD

For concepts, key terms, main ideas, chapters, or sections that you **KNOW YOU NEED TO LEARN MORE ABOUT**, type them in the **HARD** column.

Start studying at least 5 days before test day.

Do a *full or partially full re-read* of the chapter sections, modules, PowerPoints, and lectures. Read the first sentence of each paragraph to better grasp main ideas. Identify the areas of the section that give you the most difficulty. Then, do a full re-read through the remainder of those paragraphs.

If you are still having difficulty with the concept, email your professor or attend office hours, work with a tutor, or seek supplemental materials such as those found on Khan Academy or CrashCourse.