### Cornell Notes (Intro)

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Here, in the Connections Column, you might write one or more of the following:
- Categories
  - Causes of WW II
  - Parts of a Cell
- Questions
  - What caused WW II?
  - What are the parts of a cell?
- Vocabulary words
  - Holocaust
  - Synthesis
- Review/test alerts!
  - WW II causes and names of allies will definitely be on exam!
  - Parts of a Cell
- Connections
  - Check the Owens poem for his comments on war
  - Similar to process we studied in last unit
- Reminders
  - Be sure to check the meaning of variant.

#### Sample Question and Notes
What should I write down when I take notes?

**Note:** Leave space in the Connections Column so you can add notes and test review questions later on when studying.

#### How can I take notes faster?
- **Writing down only important information.** Look for:
  - bold, underlined, or italicized words
  - information in boxes or with an icon/symbol
  - headers/subheaders on the page
  - information the book or teacher repeats
  - words, ideas, or events that might be on a test
  - quotes, examples, or details you might be able to use later in a paper or presentation

- abbreviate familiar words/use symbols (+, ->, #)
- take notes in bullets and indents; not formal outlines
- cut unnecessary words
- use telegraphic sentences: “America enters war 12/44”

Down here write one of the following: summary of what you read/lecture; the five most important points of the article/chapter/lecture; questions you still need to answer.