Test Analysis Example 2

In this example, students are asked to review what questions they incorrectly answered, what type of question it was, and the reason for why they answered incorrectly. These questions encourage students to look for patterns in question types they more commonly missed (e.g., missing more application over recall may point to a lack of understanding). Additionally, this analysis asks students to correct their responses (with a why), which reinforces positive studying and learning habits. For this last part (correcting answers), you could consider having students pair up to discuss questions they got incorrect, or you could ask students to take home their exams and correct responses for partial credit.

Exam 1 Analysis

Please review your exam and note questions you missed. What type of question was it? Was it one that asked for recall of information, asked you to apply information, or did it ask you to analyze? Why did you answer the question incorrectly? Finally, take time to determine the correct answer AND why it is the correct response to the question.

Question # missed	Type of Question	Why did you answer this question wrong?	What should the correct answer be and why?
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