

# Modified Cornell Notes

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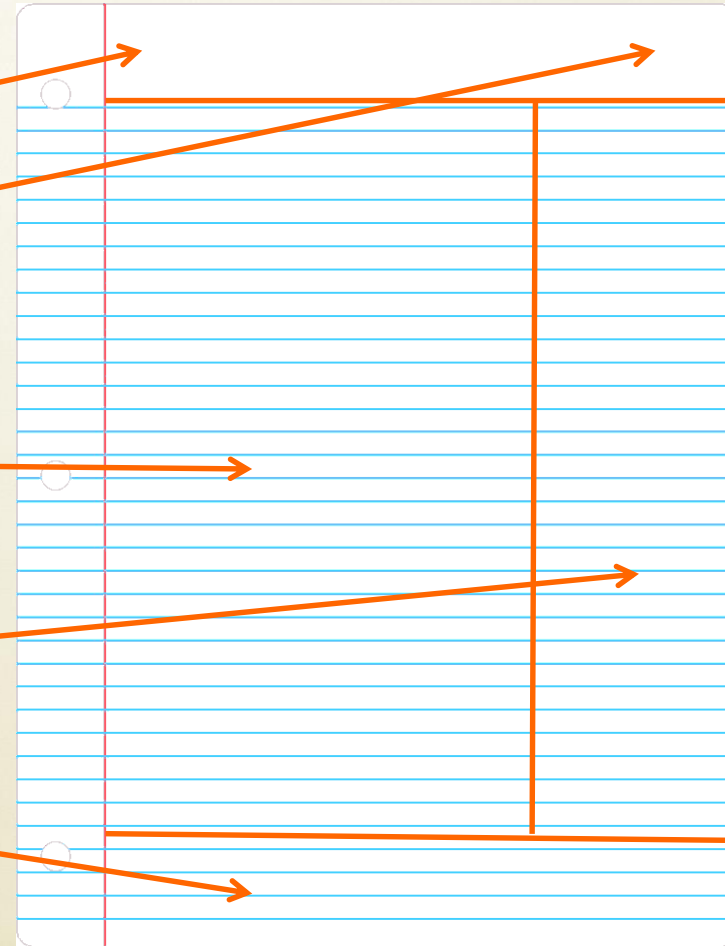
- Objective

- Date

- In this area you will take your notes

- Use the side for vocab., questions, doodling, etc.

- The Bottom is for extra notes when you study



## Continuity & Change

What stayed the same (at least mostly) from previous periods of time?

What is markedly different or new in this time period?

## Cause & Effect Relationships

What events, movements, or ideas caused OTHER events, movements, or ideas to develop?

How?  
Were these effects intended or unintended?

## Defining the Period

What makes this time period unique?

What separates it from the periods immediately before and after?

What turning points does the text identify and what is their significance?

## Comparisons & Contrasts

Where do the authors identify similarities or points of connection between events, movements, or ideas?

Where do they identify points of significant difference?

# Determining Significance:

1. Important developments before lead up to this event and important developments after flow from it (cause and effect links)
2. It serves as a clear, defining example of a larger set of events, movements, or ideas
3. It is unique in important ways and had lasting effects on later events, movements, or ideas.