MOCK QUESTIONS TEST YOU, THEY DON'T TEACH YOU

CAN MOCK QUESTIONS TEACH YOU THE SUBJECT?

It's tempting to "do some revision" by doing a mock paper. Mock questions are fine, but they're there to **test** your knowledge, not to **learn from**.



A mock question is just one of these, with four multiple-choice answers.

Know the subject and you can answer however the question is asked. Learn one mock answer and you only know that one version.

- Mock questions don't teach you the subject. They teach you the answer to **one random question**, which could be asked a dozen different ways.
- They are **not** a direct copy of the exam. Each is one example of how a question can be asked, with four multiple-choice answers. Relying on them is a stab in the dark.
- The page-layout method is what **teaches** you the subject. When you **know the subject**, exam questions just come: you answer, you move on.
- So do mocks by all means, but use them to **prove and test** your knowledge. That's all.

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