

# Using the **E.R.A.** method to Answer Multiple-choice Questions:

**E** XAMINE the question



What is the **SUBJECT** of the question?

What Historical **Era/Unit** does it come from?

What **type** of question was being asked?

CAUSE/EFFECT

RECALL

INFERENCE/GENERALIZATION

**R**ECALL what you know



try to remember what you've learned about the topic:

Who was involved

What happened

topic

causes

significance/impact

effects

**A**pply your knowledge



OA  
OB  
OC  
OD

**eliminate** wrong answers

determine which answers might work

make the choice that **best** answers the question with evidence (**prove it.**)