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Skill: $\qquad$ Mind Mapping

| Definition: | A mind map is a diagram used to visually organize information. A mind map is hierarchical and shows relationships among pieces of the whole. ${ }^{[11}$ It is often created around a single concept, drawn as an image in the center of a blank page, to which associated representations of ideas such as images, words and parts of words are added. Major ideas are connected directly to the central concept, and other ideas branch out from those. |
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| Culture of the word | Mind Mapping is a useful technique that helps you learn more effectively, improves the way that you record information, and supports and enhances creative problem solving. |
| Reference: |  |
| Source: | https://www.mindtools.com/ |
| Video: | $\underline{\text { https://youtu.be/tAUsZ9eiorY }}$ |
| Capacity: | By using Mind Maps, you can quickly identify and understand the structure of a subject. You can see the way that pieces of information fit together, as well as recording the raw facts contained in normal notes. <br> More than this, Mind Maps help you remember information, as they hold it in a format that your mind finds easy to recall and quick to review. |
| Additional information | Process: <br> - Write the title of the subject you're exploring in the center of the page, and draw a circle around it. <br> - As you come across major subdivisions or subheadings of the topic (or important facts that relate to the subject) draw lines out from this circle. Label these lines with these subdivisions or subheadings. <br> - As you "burrow" into the subject and uncover another level of information (further subheadings, or individual facts) belonging to the subheadings, draw these as lines linked to the subheading lines |

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