

# Grades 6-12 Inspiration® Maps

### Helps build critical thinking and literacy skills in any subject

Inspiration Maps brings visual thinking and learning to the iPad<sup>®</sup>. Build knowledge: analyze and organize information, think critically and demonstrate comprehension. Inspiration Maps supports the thinking and writing skills outlined in the Common Core State Standards.

### Visualize your ideas

With Inspiration Maps, you can easily build visual models such as webs, concept maps, and graphic organizers to aid learning and retention.

- Create webs to brainstorm ideas and analyze information
- Build concept maps to breakdown complex concepts and aid understanding
- Develop cause and effect diagrams, process flows and other visual models to build critical thinking skills
- Use built-in graphic organizer templates, such as Cause and Effect or Character Comparison, to guide thinking

### Organize for writing or studying

Use visual diagrams or written outlines to capture ideas and take notes. Inspiration Maps turns static outlines into dynamic, rich writing structures.

- · Easily rearrange items to create a logical flow
- Add notes to any item to capture additional data or expand ideas
- Study in Diagram or Outline View—choose the format that's best for you

### Prompt ideas and inspire projects

The visual learning and thinking tools in Inspiration Maps support projects from inception to final report.

- Brainstorm ideas and select a topic using visual maps
- Record facts and data by adding notes and subtopics
- Flip into Outline View to organize, structure and start first drafts



 Choose from over 1000 symbols
Record audio notes

### **Get started easily**

- Begin working immediately—the intuitive, natural touch interface makes it easy
- Use anywhere—download and go. No WiFi required.

### Create and edit your document in Diagram View or Outline View—and easily switch between them

## Build visual thinking models such as concept maps, webs, or graphic organizers

### Choose from dozens of templates

English, History, Science, and Thinking templates are included.

### Personalize maps to aid retention and recall

- Search and select from over 1000 symbols
- Add images: from the web, the iPad photo album, or directly from the iPad camera (if available)
- Add audio to any symbol
- Add hyperlinks to connect directly to web sites from within your document
- Choose symbol and link styles, colors, shapes, backgrounds, and fonts

### Organize and develop written documents using Outline View

- Transform your diagram into an outline with one tap or begin your work in Outline View
- Tap and drag to rearrange topics
- Add notes to expand on any item
- Hide or show subtopics and notes—to see the document structure—or all the details

### Go straight from outlining to writing: Export Outline directly into Pages or other local iPad word-processing applications

Share and store documents using Dropbox, iTunes®, or Google Docs

Import and export documents to and from Inspiration 9.2

Localized in French, Spanish and UK English

### Volume purchase option

Inspiration Maps participates in Apple's Volume Purchase Program for Education.









