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What are some of the challenges in designing instruction "to go"?



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Session Topics

- Define a learning object
- Use mindmapping tool to identify learning objectives
- Storyboard a learning object
- Explore Web 2.0 applications for learning object development



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What is a learning object?

- An online resource or set of resources that has been developed to achieve a specific learning outcome.
- It has been developed in such a way that it is "portable" and can be reused in other learning environments.



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Common Core Learning Objectives

- Well-defined and focused
- General in nature
- Mindmapping tool aids in identifying pertinent objectives



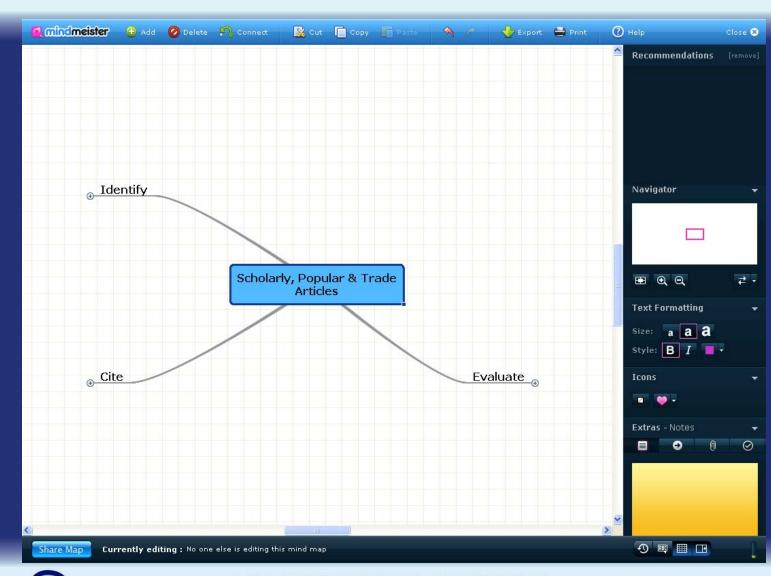
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Mindmeister





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List the visual characteristics

Illustrate the visual characteristics

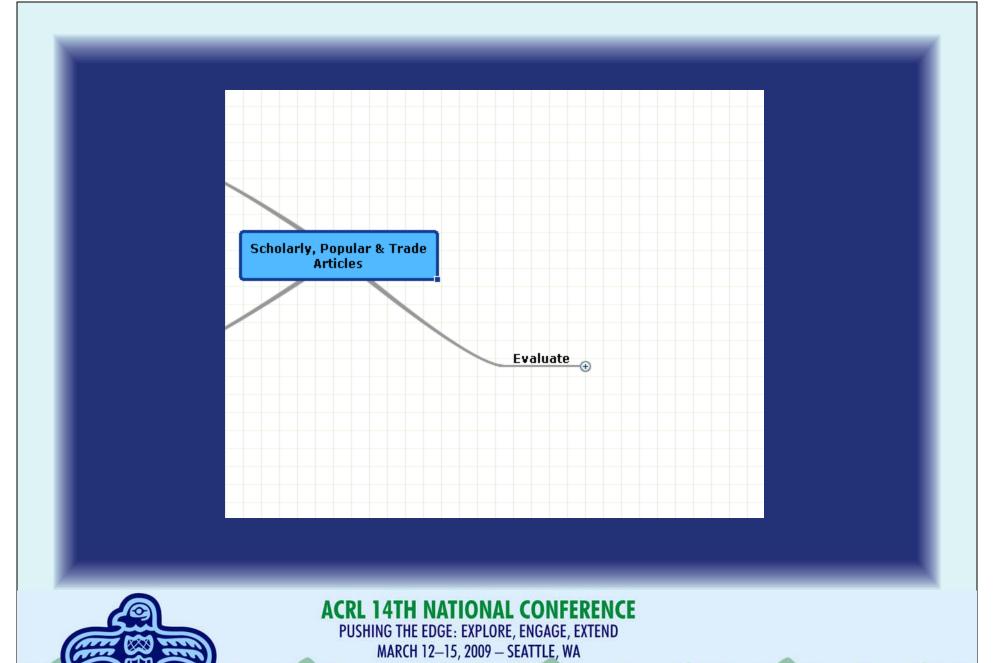
The student WBAT use specific visual characteristics to identify a scholarly article.

Identify

Test the learning



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Activity

Evaluate a list of database search results to select a scholarly article.

- Come up with one concise learning objective, written in the language of the learner. What is the learner going to be able to do?
- In 3 steps or less describe how you are going to achieve this objective.



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| TITLE Learning Objective: | HOW TO IDENTIFY A SCHOLARLY ARTICLE After viewing this learning object you will be able to identify a scholarly article using its visual characteristics. |
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| Visual with 3 types of articles displayed | Here are 3 articles on the same topic. 1 is a popular magazine article that reports publication of a study 2 is a trade/professional publication informing practitioners about the study 3 is the original research study |
| Visual characteristics of popular and trade articles | Informal presentation Shorter articles that summarize Colorful with pictures, photos No references Easy to understand Authors sometimes listed |

Web 2.0 Applications





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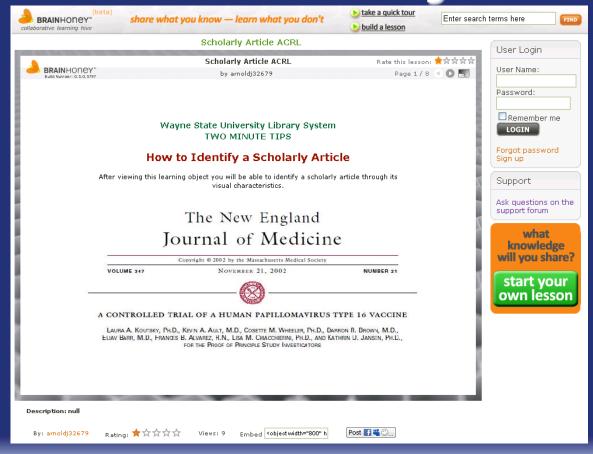
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