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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



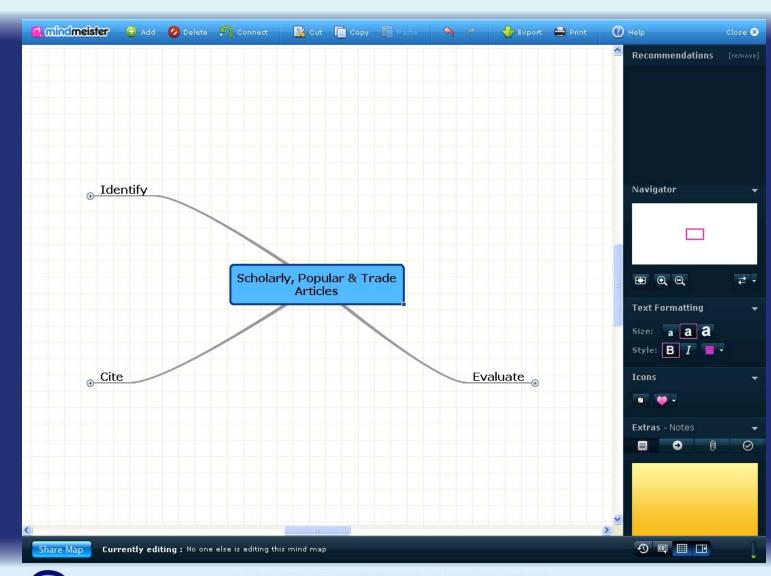
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Mindmeister





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List the visual characteristics

Illustrate the visual characteristics

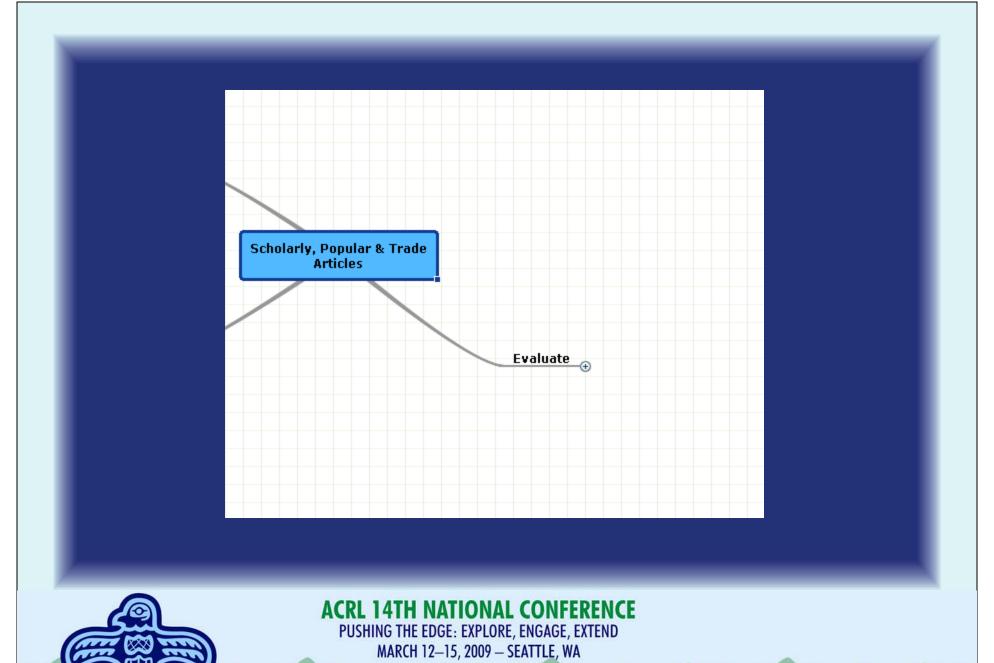
The student WBAT use specific visual characteristics to identify a scholarly article.

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.
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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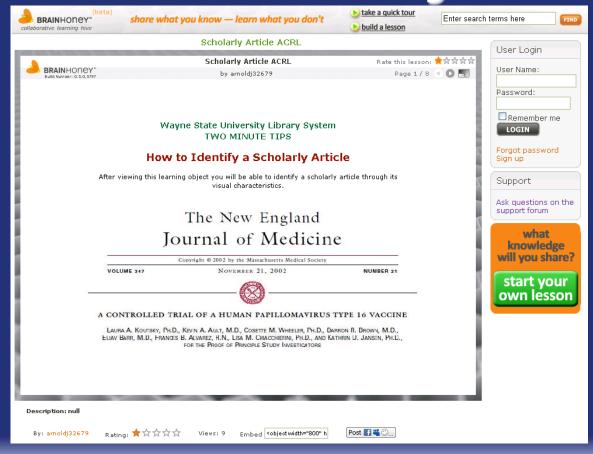
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