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3 Unusual Ways of Making Notes

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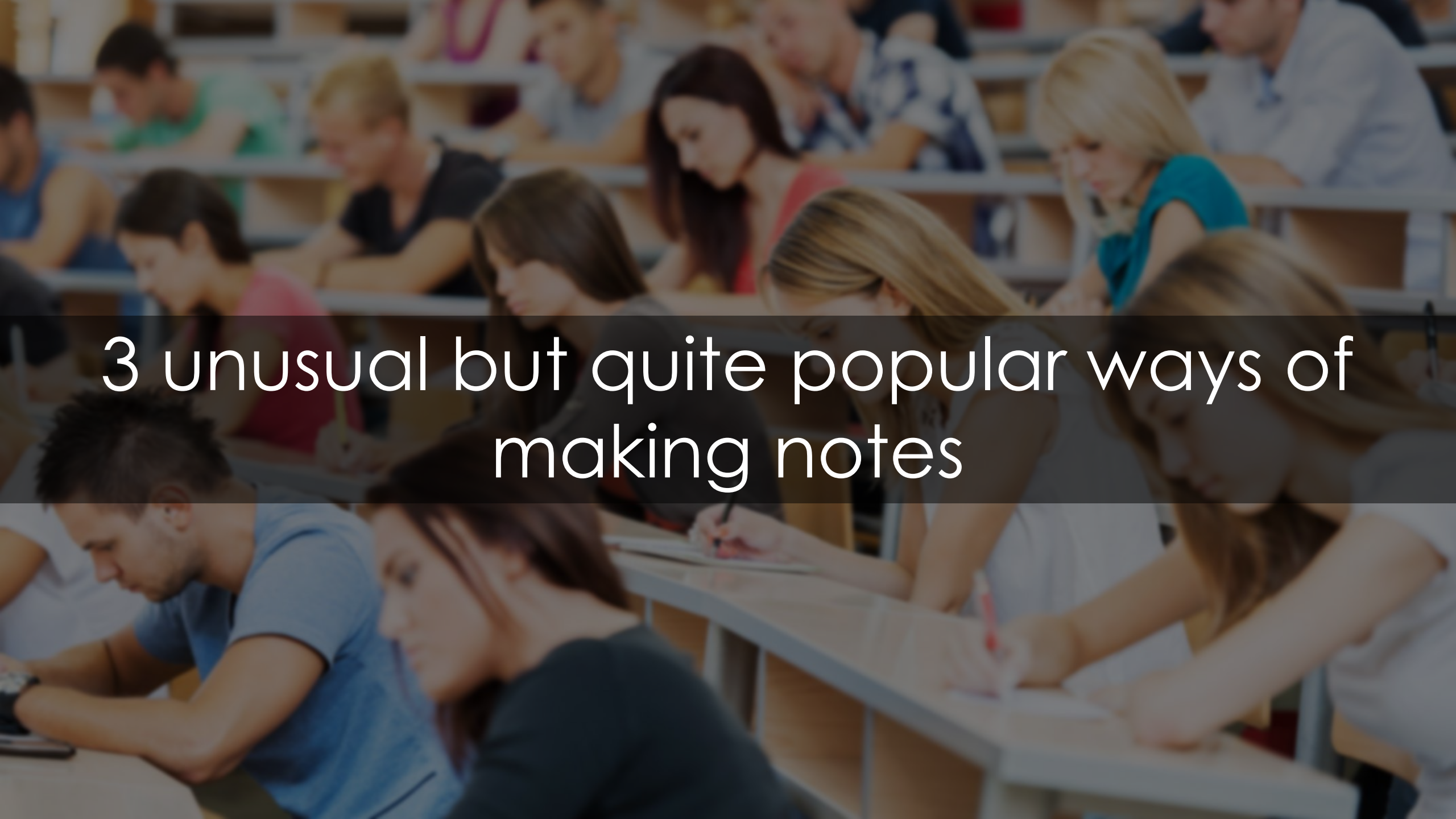
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Introduction

There are many ways of making notes. You can use:

- charts
- bullet points
- 'boxes' etc.





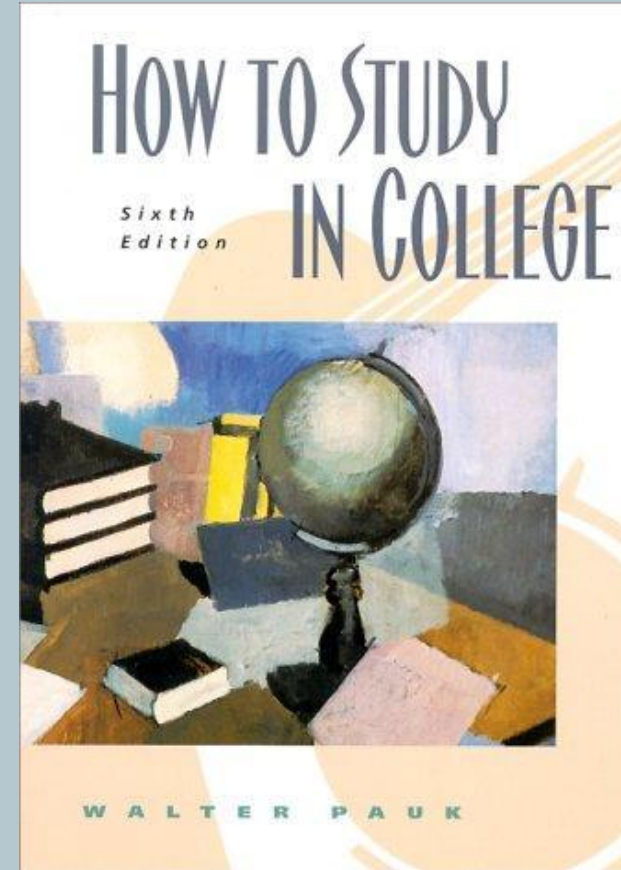
3 unusual but quite popular ways of making notes

The Cornell Method



Walter Pauk
(1915-unknown)

*How to Study in
College* by **Walter
Pauk** (1962)



Cornell University



The Cornell Method

CUES

NAME, DATE, TOPIC, CLASS

NOTES

TAKEN DURING CLASS

- MAIN POINTS
- BULLET POINTS
- DIAGRAMS / CHARTS
- ABBREVIATE
- PARAPHRASE
- OUTLINES
- LEAVE SPACE BETWEEN TOPICS

CORNELL NOTE-TAKING METHOD

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SUMMARY

↑ 2" ↓

WRITTEN AFTER CLASS. BRIEF SUMMARY HIGHLIGHTING THE MAIN POINTS IN THE NOTES ON THIS PAGE. USED TO FIND INFO LATER.

1. Divide your paper into **two columns**
2. Left column: **main points** of the lecture, **keywords**, **questions**
3. Right column: **definitions**, **dates**, **facts**, **examples** etc.
4. Make a **summary**

MAIN TITLE

I make sure that all the topics on my list are covered

SUBTOPIC TWO

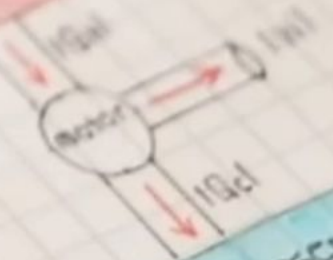
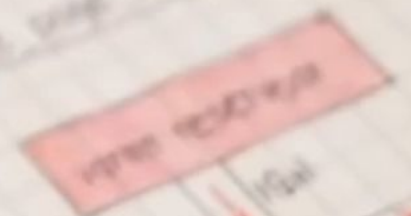
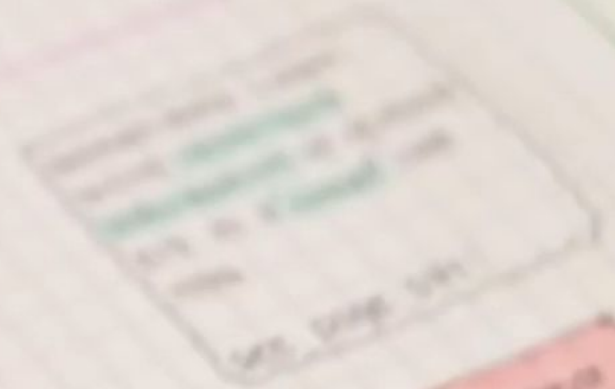
Use a **summary para** for **summary**
Use **abbreviations** to save time
• e.g., max., min., AP, I.E., TD.

SUBTOPIC THREE

If there is a topic the professor didn't cover, I'll add another paragraph

SUBTOPIC FOUR


Optional: take time to make your notes prettier
• NOT necessary!



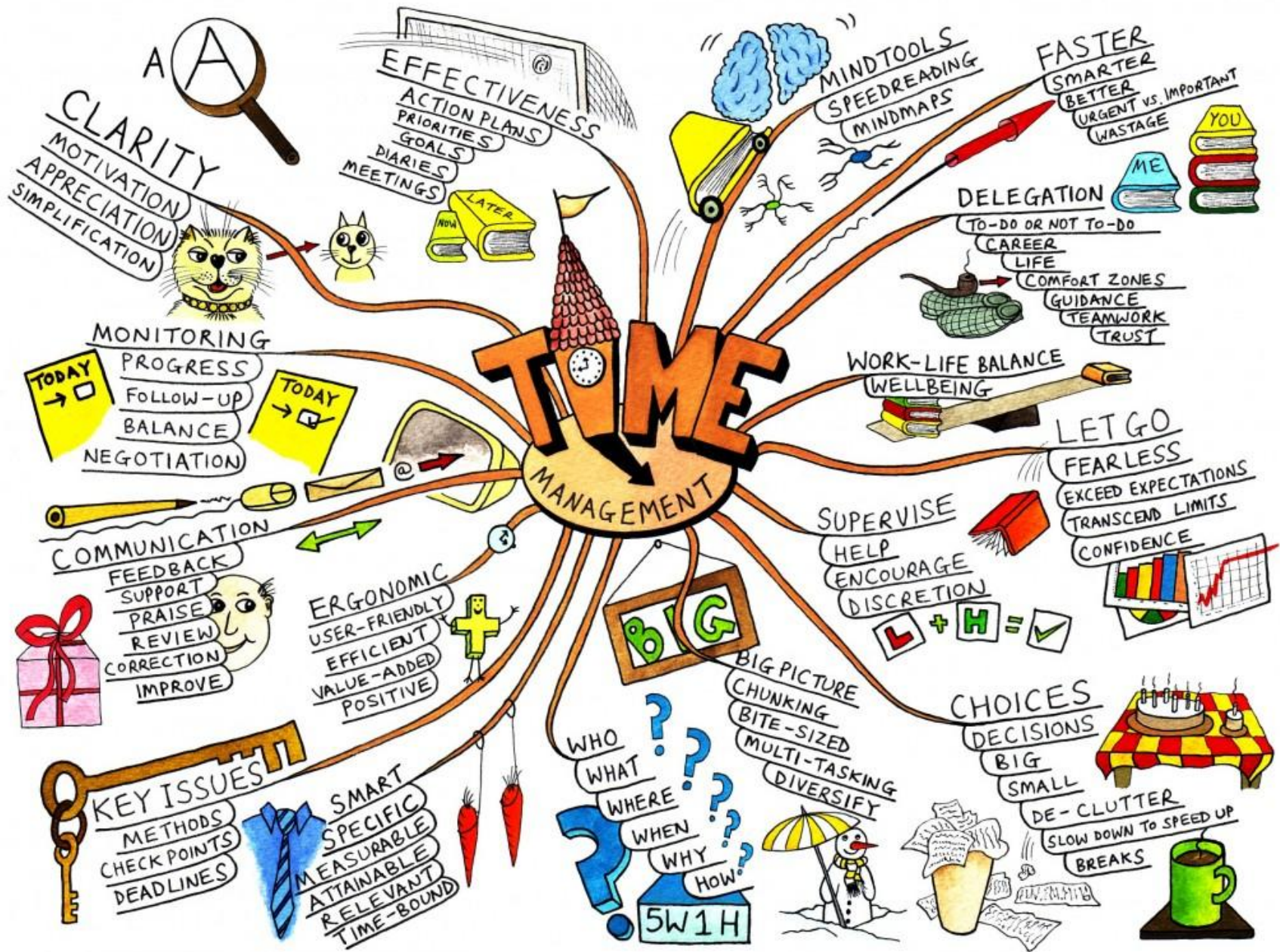
Mind-Mapping: show your creativity!

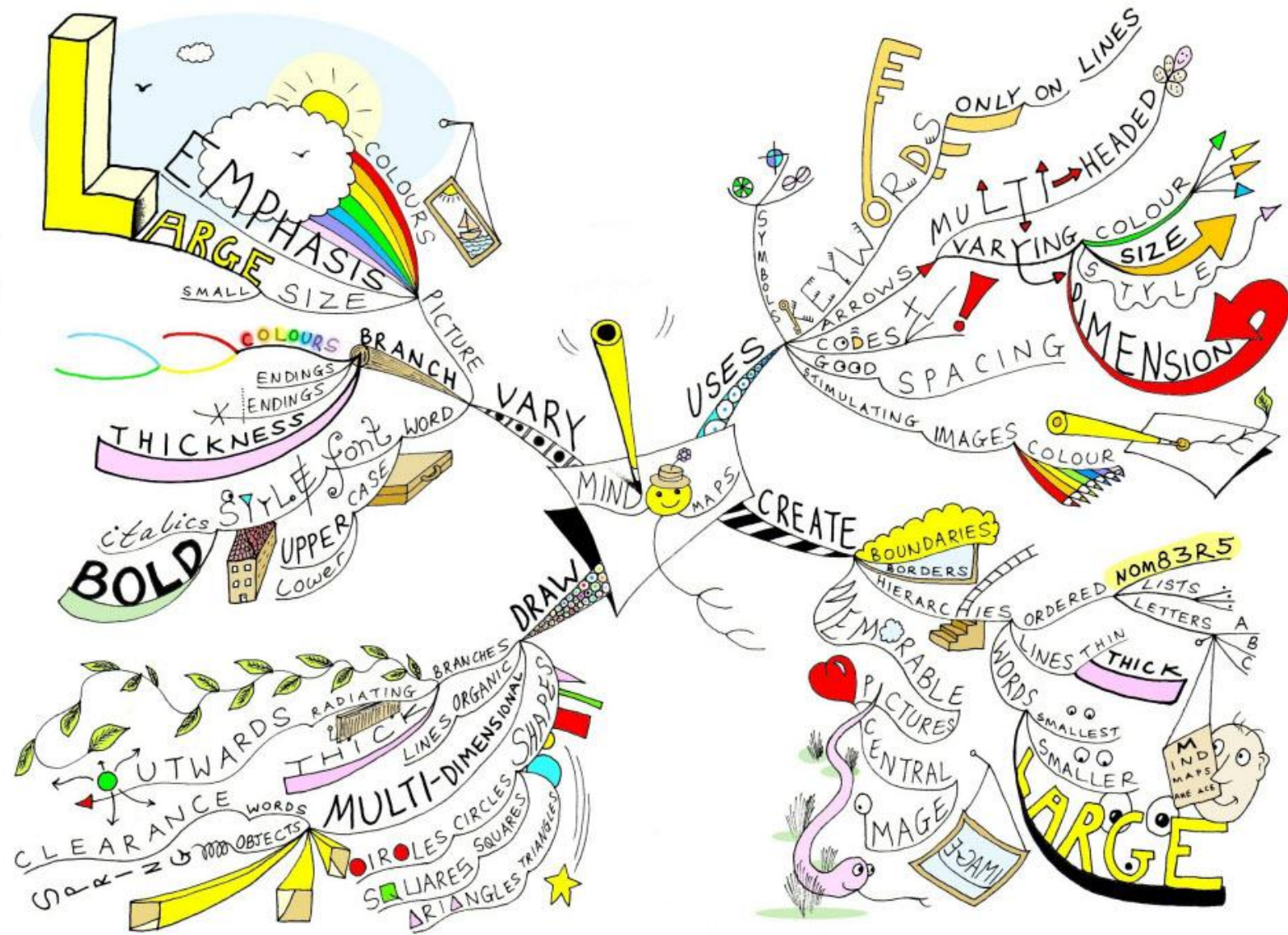
1. **Put** the **main notion** at the **center of the paper**
2. **Build out** radiantly **the ideas relating to it**
 - ❑ The points should be very **short!**



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Mind-Mapping: examples







The Maria Popova Method



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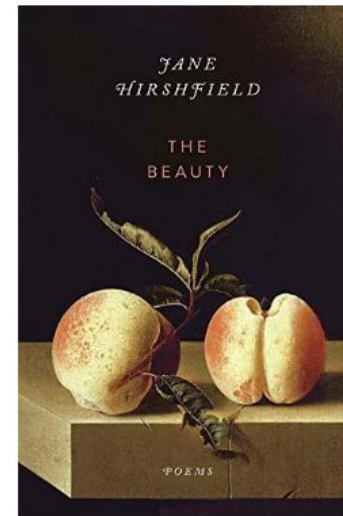
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A well to the groundwater of our strength.

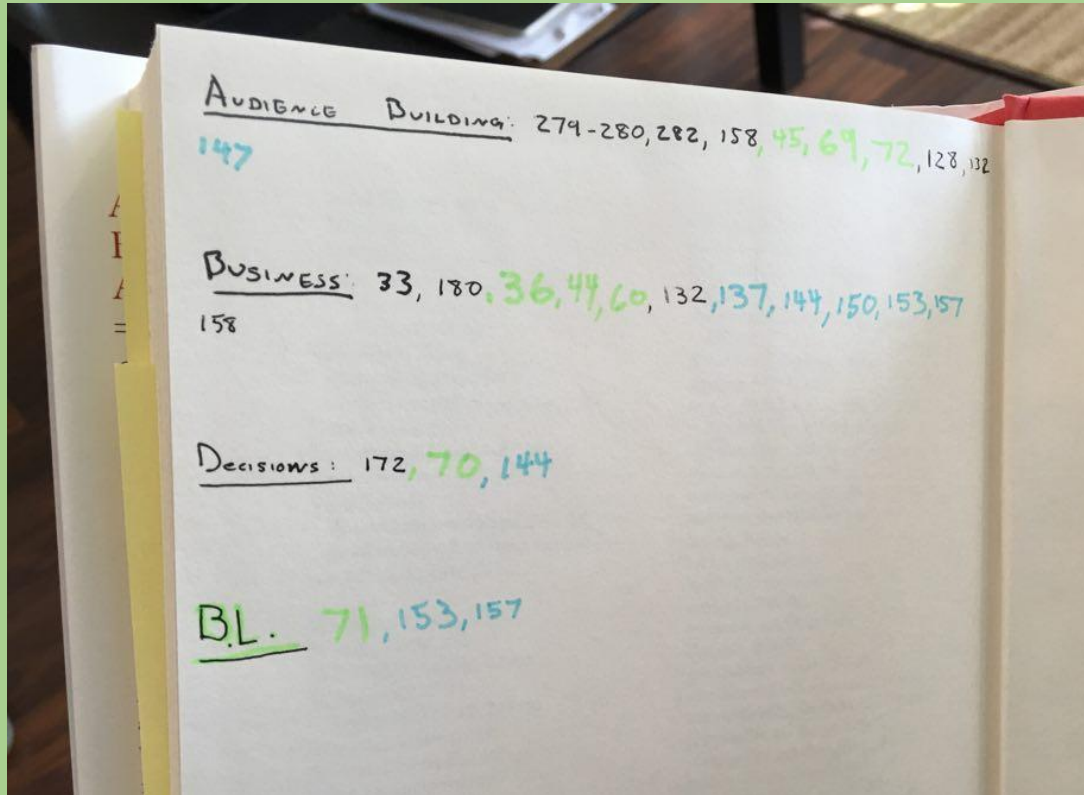
BY MARIA POPOVA

“All you have is what you are, and what you give,” Ursula K. Le Guin wrote in a philosophical novel contemplating suffering and getting to the other side of pain. “If equal affection cannot be / Let the more loving one be me,” W.H. Auden wrote in a philosophical poem contemplating the courage to love more, to give more, in the face of even the most heartbreaking and elemental disparity of passions.

Perhaps the deepest measure of our character, of our very humanity, is how much we go on giving when what we most value is taken from us — when a loved one withholds their love, when the world withdraws its mercy. That is what **Jane Hirshfield** — herself a rare poet with a philosopher’s eye to existence, and an ordained Buddhist — explores in her



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1. Write down **the most essential topics and ideas**
2. **Mark the pages on which they are described in the book** you're reading

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A top-down view of a workspace on a pink surface. In the center is a silver laptop with a screen showing a grid of colored squares (light blue, grey, red, black). To the left is a white mug of black coffee. Below the mug is a white smartphone displaying a red and white interface. To the right of the laptop are several sticky notes in purple and teal, and a small blue cube. In the bottom right, a person's hands are visible, one holding a black pen and the other holding a white notepad with a hand-drawn diagram consisting of a circle and a triangle. The text "Thank you for your attention!" is overlaid in white in the center of the image.

Thank you for your attention!