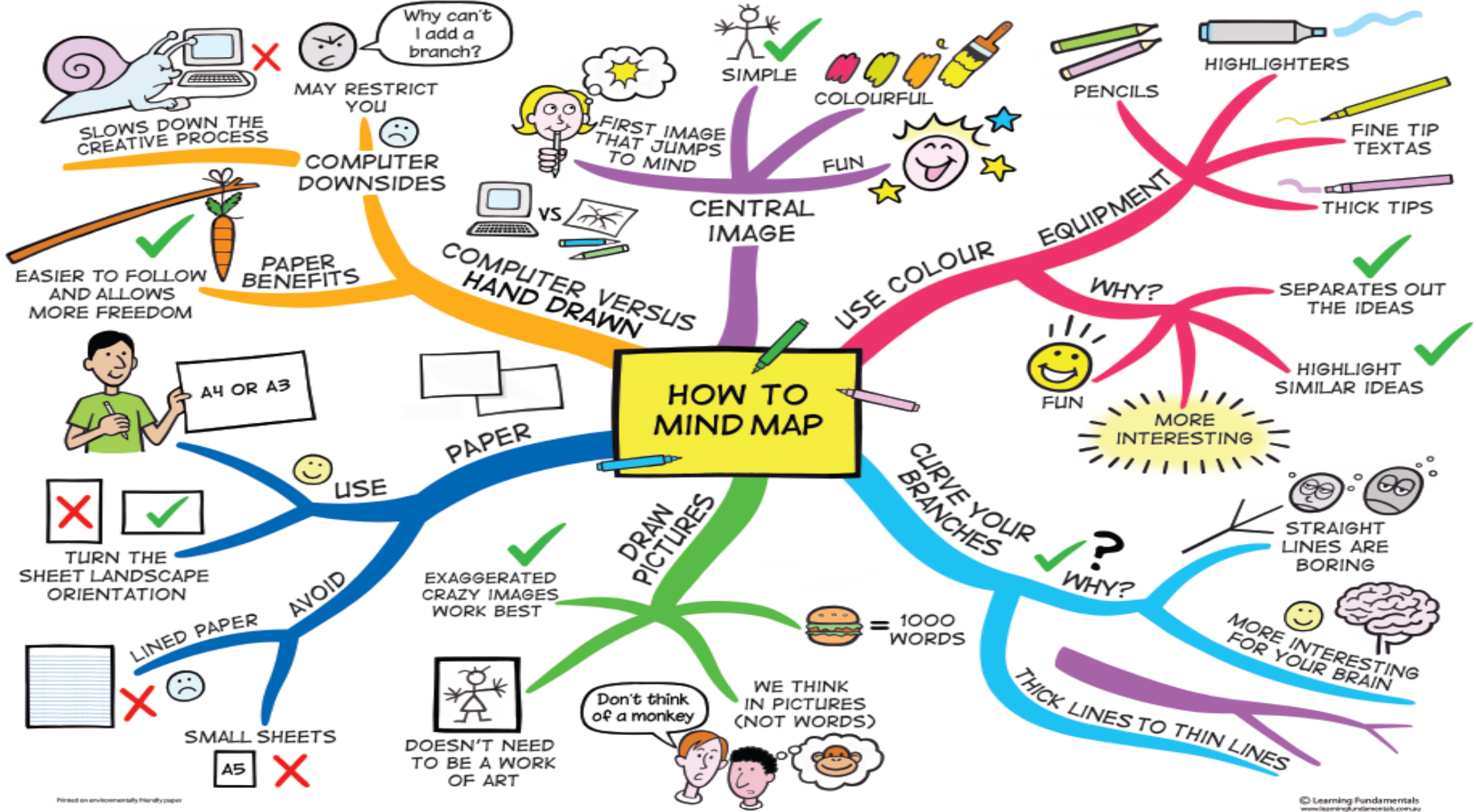




Episode 2
Mind Maps





Mind Maps

Mind Maps help to simplify complex ideas, make connections to see the “bigger picture” and allow you to be creative so you don’t get bored.

How To:

- Use a landscape sheet of A4 or A3 paper.
- Put the **topic** in the centre.
- Main Branches: Your branches should have one word or two for clarity. Think of each branch as a heading in an essay or a book.
- Sub-branches: From your main branches draw sub-branches and from those sub-branches you can draw more branches. Here you can create associations between ideas.

Top Tips:

- Use **COLOUR** to make it visually interesting. Use a different colour for different branches to link the learning together.
- **Draw pictures**. They don’t need to be a work of art, but they will help you to remember it.
- Make sure each branch is **curved** and not straight. The brain is more stimulated by curved lines.

Example Mind Map

