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Quiz 5

A. Completion. Complete the information below using six words from the box

entity
transform

flexible
underlying

perspective
vast

presume **reinforce**
visualize **welfare**

Memorizing information is an important skill for students. One technique for improving your memory is known as "mind-mapping." This method is the invention of a British researcher named Tony Buzan. From Buzan's 1. _____, no matter how weak you are as a student, the use of mind-mapping can 2. _____ your mental ability and help you memorize a(n) 3. _____ amount of information.

A mind map is similar to a word web (see page 179). It is a diagram of thoughts, starting from a single idea and spreading outward to new ideas, showing the connections between them. The 4. _____ theory behind it is that by drawing the map, you are made to

5. _____ the information clearly. Later, as you look at the mind map again and again, you 6. _____ your knowledge of the information and you memorize it.

abstract
mastered

acknowledging
revealed

dismiss
primitive

extraordinarily
pronounce

Research in the Fongoli region of Senegal has 7. _____ that chimpanzees seem to have 8. _____ the art of basic tool-making. Furthermore, a chimp was observed sharpening a stick with her teeth before using it as a(n) 9. _____ tool for killing a bush baby.¹

Although few people completely 10. _____ the findings, some researchers question their significance. Primatologist Craig Stanford, for example, while 11. _____ that the behavior is fascinating, finds that the research findings are only important enough to be "... a short note in a journal." However, researcher Jill Pruett claims that the discovery is remarkable, as it shows that chimp behavior can be 12. _____ humanlike.

B. Definitions. Complete the sentences with words from the box. Two words are extra.

abstract
humble

acknowledge
master

dismiss
pronounce

extraordinary
simulate

1. To _____ something means to become skilled in the use of it.
2. If you _____ an action or a feeling, you copy it or pretend to do it.
3. To _____ a word means to say it using particular sounds.
4. A(n) _____ person is not proud, and does not believe he or she is better than other people.
5. If you _____ a fact or situation, you accept or admit that it is true.
6. A(n) _____ idea or way of thinking is based on general ideas rather than on real things and events.

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