

Inspiration

Version 8

6th-12th Grade

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Introduction

- **The essential tool to**
 - visualize
 - think
 - organize
 - learn
- **Diagram and Outline Views**
- **Graphic Organizers**
- **Improve 6th to 12th grade skills: (Kidspiration K-5)**
 - Plan and organize
 - Research and evaluate
 - Comprehend and communicate

Visualize ideas, concepts and relationships

- Students quickly brainstorm new ideas with the RapidFire tool, search the symbol collection to find images to represent any concept, and insert and play multimedia files.
- To show relationships between ideas, students link symbols and add words to further clarify meaning.

Improve writing proficiency

- As they start the writing process, students use visually integrated notes to expand topics and switch to **Outline View** to further develop their ideas.
- The integrated **Word Guide** helps students choose words with more precision
- Contextual **spell checker** automatically identifies misspelled words.
- To finalize projects, students can transfer to their favorite word processor or transform their work into a web site with the **Site Skeleton** export tool.

Plan and organize projects

- **Inspiration** helps students to
 - organize information
 - develop thinking skills
 - demonstrate knowledge
- **Drag-and-drop** actions and **hyperlinks** make it easy to gather research and connect to files and web resources.
- **AutoArrange** enable students to automatically format their diagrams.

Inspiration Web Resources

- More than 1 million symbols
- 50+ Curriculum Packets
- On-demand training videos

Quick Tour

- http://www.inspiration.com/productinfo/inspiration/interactive_demo/index.cfm