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Visual learning is a great way for students of all ages to graphically work with ideas and present information. Inspiration opens in Diagram View where you can process and organize information visually as webs, idea and concept maps, outlines, and storyboards for writing or presentations. With RapidFire, you can quickly create word associations, idea maps, concept maps, flow charts, and much more. Use the extensive symbol library to enhance your diagram and then transform it into an outline that can be exported to use in other documents. Include Hyperlinks and export your diagram. Check out the built-in templates as a great way to start using Inspiration.



Reference!

Inspiration always starts in the diagram view. Change the font by selecting the text or symbol and going to text menu on the Formatting Toolbar. Choose the size, style, and font. Go to **Edit** to *Select All* to change text on all symbols.

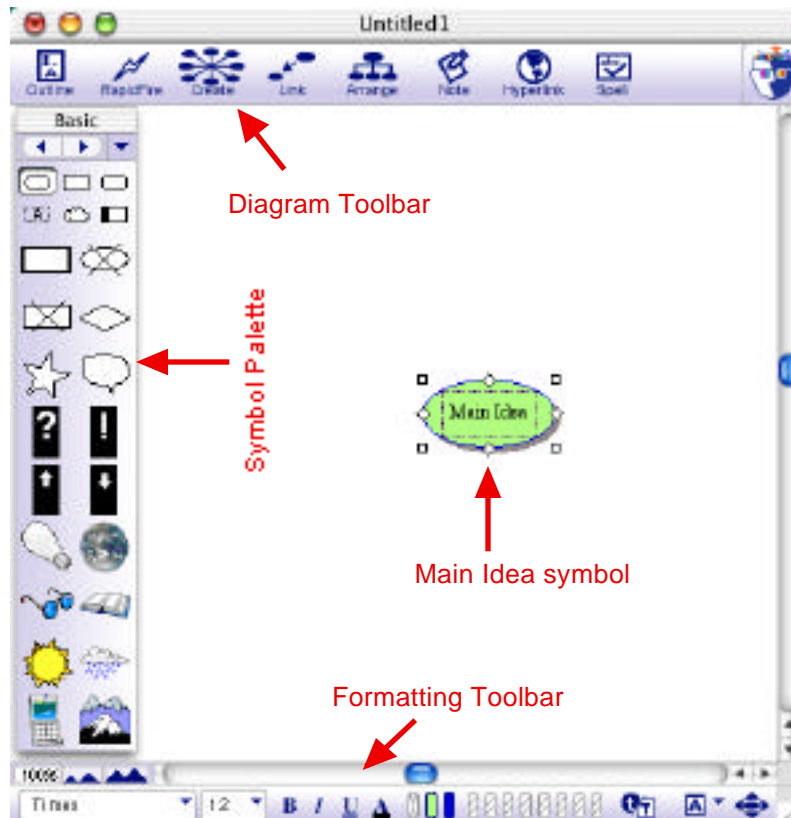


Tip!

If you use Inspiration for brainstorming with a computer attached to a TV monitor, you might want to make the font at least 14-18 pt so those in the back of the room can read the information on the symbols.

Start Inspiration

1. Open Inspiration by double-clicking on the icon (Mac) or scrolling to Inspiration 7 using the Start menu (PC).
2. A symbol labeled *Main Idea* will appear in diagram view. You cannot delete this symbol. It is your "main idea."



3. Select the text and type in your main idea—for this Guide, type "Career Possibilities."

