

CLUSTERING

CLUSTERING, also called **MAPPING**, is a strategy for **visually organizing your ideas**.

- Start with your subject/topic circled at the top of the page, and connect it with arrows to circles for each subdivision of the subject/topic. (Create as many as you need. There is not set number.)
- Label each new circle as a different subdivision of your subject/topic.
- Then, from the subdivision circles, draw a new set of arrows to connect to detail circles.
- Fill each detail circle with one example, explanation, or source information that develops the idea of the corresponding subdivision.

