

Cognitive load theory and Rosenshine's principles of direct instruction

1.9 Dual coding

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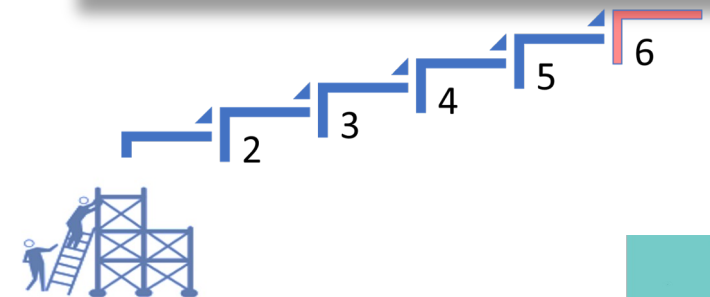
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Combined formats: The combined use of visual and auditory channels (e.g. images and words together)



- Words:

Written or spoken

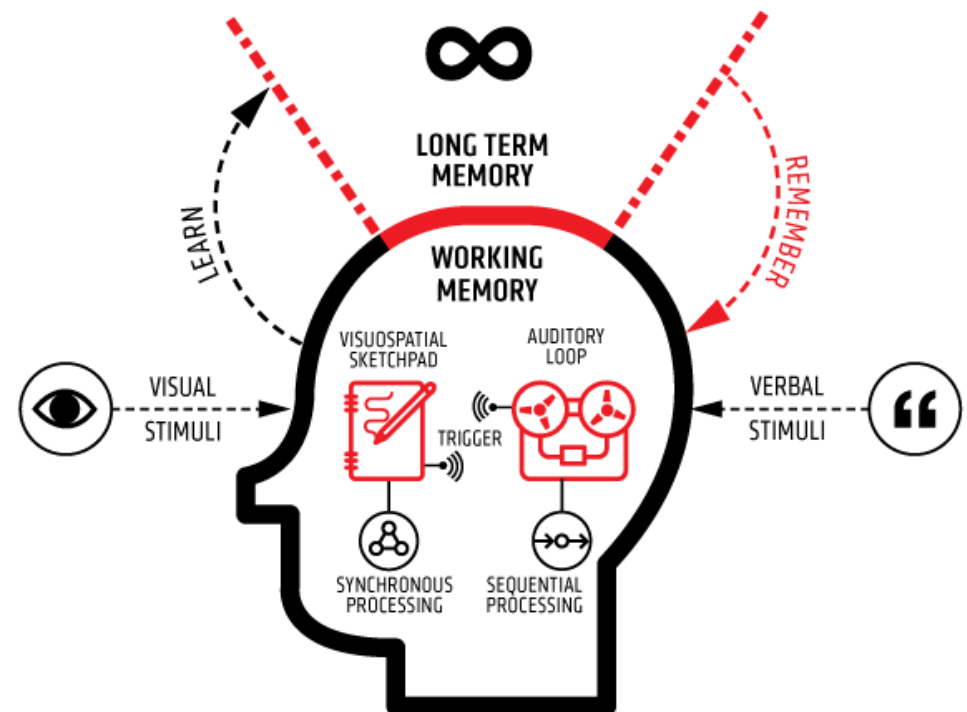
- Visuals:

Pictures, graphs, charts, photos, maps, animations, videos, interactive illustrations.

Conjoint Retention

'Studying maps first made students better readers of text about the same terrain'

Oliver Caglioli



Example:



What's the difference between **raster maps** and **vector maps?**





Raster maps

- A 'dumb' electronic map image (like a digital photo)
- Made up of a set number of pixels
- Can't manipulate the information or move items around
- When zooming, quickly becomes pixelated and unreadable



Vector maps

- A database of points, lines, polygons and text (like architect's software drawing)
- Features can carry extra information/data
- Can be manipulated, edited or analysed using GIS
- When zooming, features remain clear

