Inspiration

- 1) Double click on *Inspiration* icon
- 2) To enlarge "Main Idea" box, click on large mountain icon at bottom left of screen
- 3) Delete the word "Main Idea" in the Main Idea box
- 4) Type in a main idea/topic
- 5) Single click on the *RapidFire* icon (a red lightening bolt will show up at end of main idea title
- 6) Begin typing in ideas related to topic and hit the **Enter** key with the input of each idea
- 7) To add ideas to other boxes, double click on the box, then repeat steps 5-6
- 8) To add a graphic to any box, just click on the box you want the graphic to go in, and then single click on the graphic
 - a) The graphics box can be moved anywhere on the screen

9) When you are ready to arrange your ideas:

- a) To arrange ideas in a controlled format, single click on the Arrange icon
- b) Choose the format
- c) Click on OK

10)To Put your ideas into an outline:

- a) Single click on the Outline icon
- b) You can organize your ideas just by single clicking at the beginning of the line you want to change, then drag it to where you want it to go
- c) You can add any idea to your outline (topics, and subtobics, etc.) just by single clicking on the appropriate icons
- d) You can change main topics into subtopics and vice versa by single clicking on the **Left** and **Right** icons
- e) To go back to your diagram, single click on the Diagram icon
- 11)When your assignment is in the final Outline draft, print it to complete the final draft (using Microsoft Word, Write:OutLoud, etc.)
- 12) To save file to Microsoft Word, choose File, and than Export this will ask if you want the file saved in Microsoft Word. Choose Save. This will change the file to a doc. Extension. If your computer is hooked up to a printer you can print. If you need to save to the flash drive for printing purposes. You know can print your outline to a computer that is connected to a printer.