

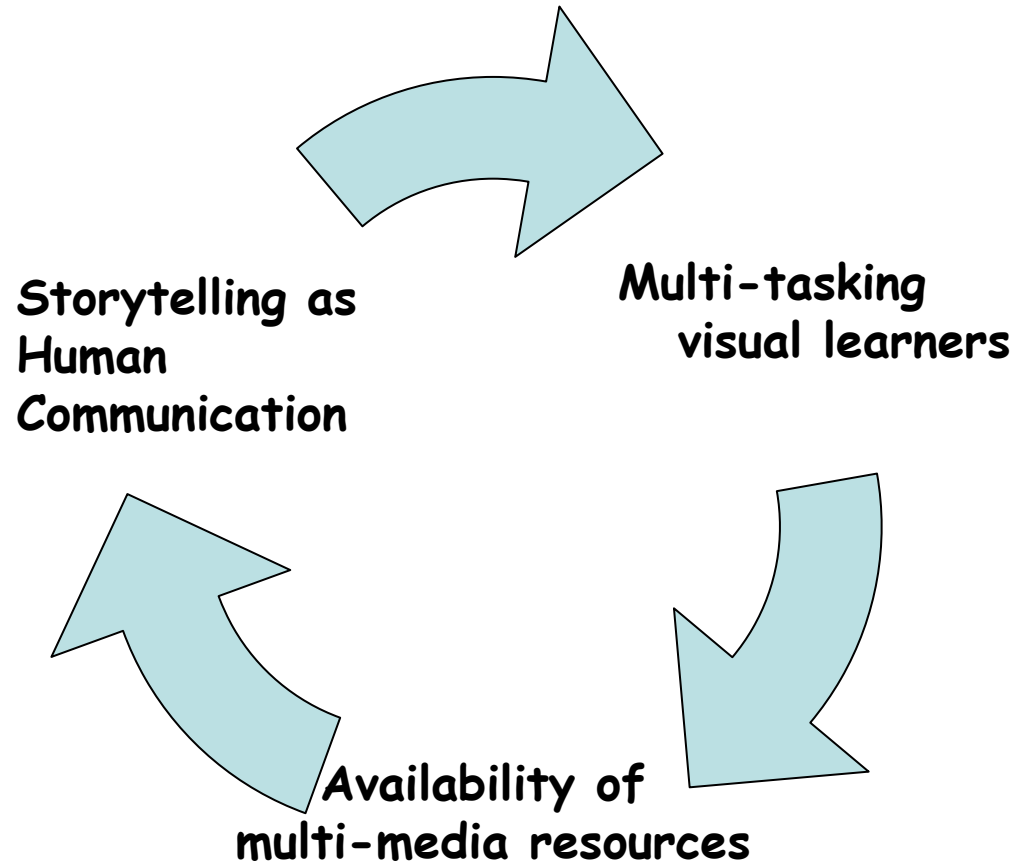
Digital Story Telling

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What is Digital Storytelling?

-Digital storytelling begins with the notion that in the not distant future, sharing one's story through the multiple mediums of digital imagery, text, voice, sound, music, video, and animation will be the principal hobby of the world's people.

Digital Stories are the Interaction of:



What does this mean to educators?

If a picture is worth a thousand words - just think how effectively your students could communicate when they can include audio, motion, written words, and emotion as well!

Digital Story Telling - Skills/Benefits for Instruction, Learning, Students

- Active, participatory learners
- Authentic Tasks
- Collaborative
- Collegial work
- Cognitive tasks
- Content achievement
- Craftsmanship of Communication by Students Beyond Existing Knowledge (Creator of knowledge)
- Curriculum linking
- Inquiry-based
- Integrate technology, communication, collaboration, curriculum skills, into one project
- Reflection
- Research

Digital Storytelling Meets State &
National Standards

- Computer and Multimedia Literacy
- Information Literacy
- Technological Literacy

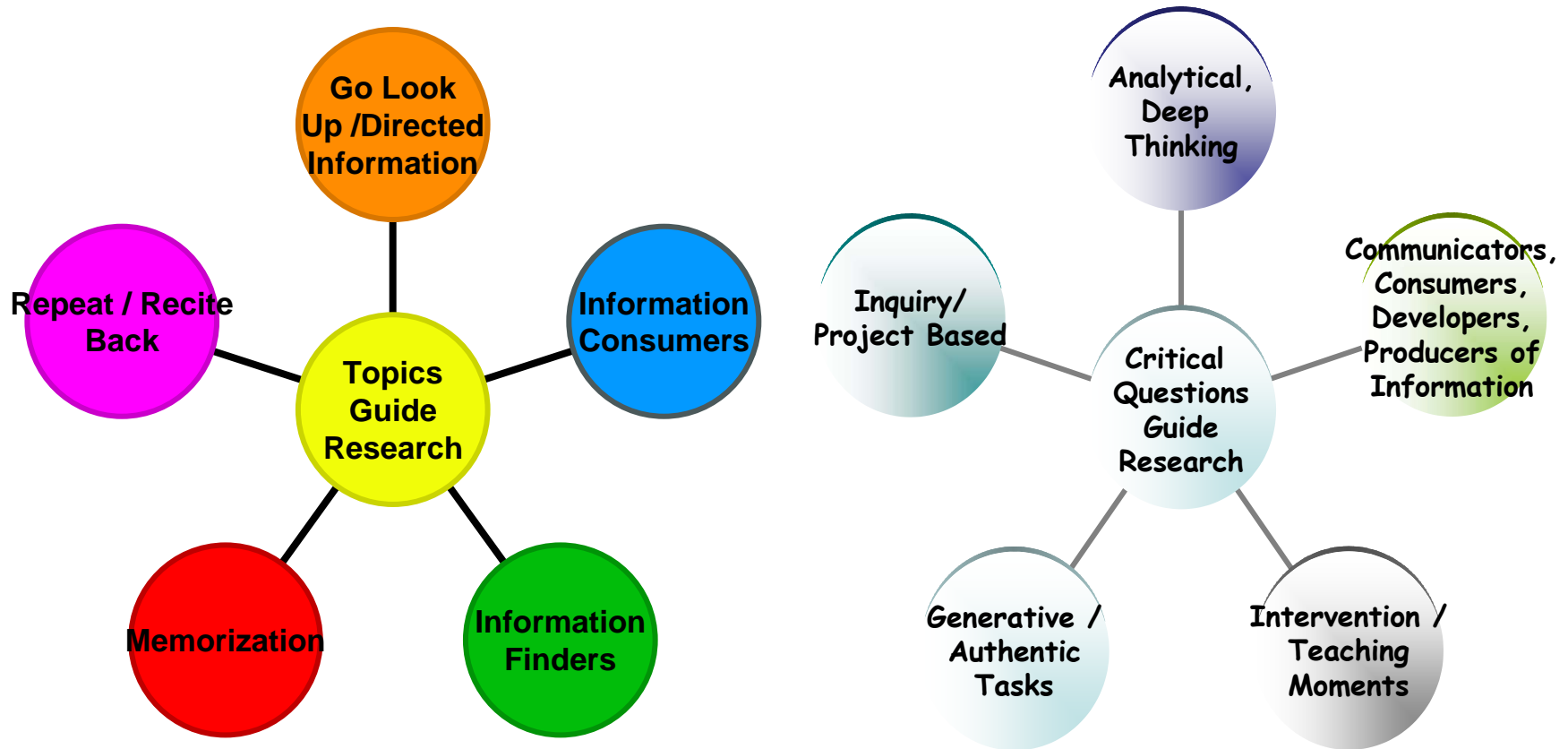
Digital Storytelling Supports:

- Narrative
 - Personal Expression
 - Myths/ Folk Tales
 - Short Story
- Information/Expository
 - Summary Reports
 - Book Reports
 - Biographies
- Persuasive
 - Advertisements
 - Analyze/Conclude
 - Analyze/Persuade
 - Compare/Contrast
 - Cause/Effect



**Example of
Persuasive Digital
Story**

One Method for Shifting Learning from Topical to Inquiry/Participatory



http://www.digitales.us/story_details.php?story_id=12

How to Create Successful Digital Stories

Planning is essential

Good Questions / Directions

Resources - What resources can students use.

Groups - 2/3 students per project.

Organize Student Storage - Place for students to store printed storyboards & flash drives or server space

Gather and prepare media resources - Storyboard Tool

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- Audacity

<http://audacity.sourceforge.net/download>

One More Example!

Digital Stories will only be as good as the resources used to create them.



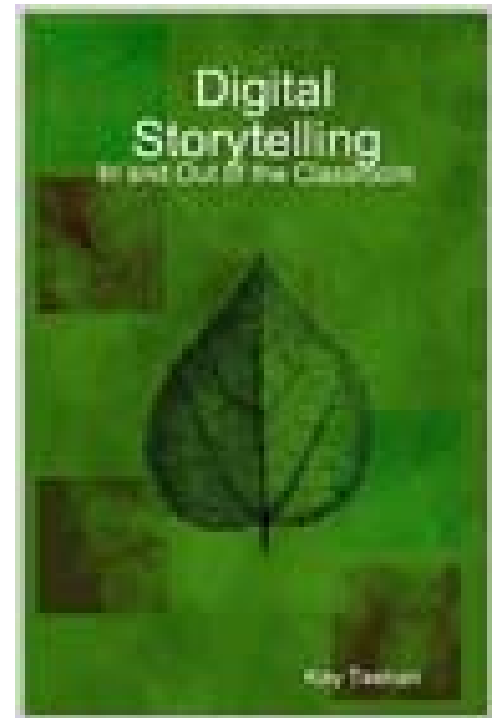
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