



THE COMPLETE PICTURE: *MAP for Students* co-authors Lim and Tengku Faizwa watching Dr Siti Hasmah insert the letter 'A' into the backdrop at the book's launch in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

Study smarter with mind-map

KUALA LUMPUR: Students should opt for alternative learning methods that allow them to remember important facts quickly and easily, instead of slogging over lengthy textbooks and cramming heaps of information during a short period.

This was the advice former First Lady Tun Dr Siti Hasmah Mohd Ali gave at the launch of *Memory Advancing Procedure (MAP) For Students: Learning made Fun, Funny and Funky*, a

book to help improve memory power among students.

"I hope this book inspires students to discover the correct methods of learning, and I believe that although mind-mapping is relatively new in Malaysia the idea is definitely catching on," said Dr Siti Hasmah.

MAP For Students, co-authored by Tengku Faizwa Tengku Razif and Lim Teck Hoe, utilises a graphical learning method that collaborates the

usage of both the left and right hemispheres of the brain.

The book employs the concept of a mind-map, a diagram used to represent facts and information, to help students and adults study, generate ideas and make decisions.

Memory Advancing Procedure (MAP) For Students? Learning made Fun, Funny and Funky will retail at RM38.50 when it goes on sale in bookstores nationwide next month.