



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

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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.