Five Modes for Representing a Word Problem

REPRESENTATION	EXAMPLE
Contextual	
Pictorial (Graph)	
Concrete	
Verbal	
Symbolic (Equation, Table)	

Five Representations: A Translation Model
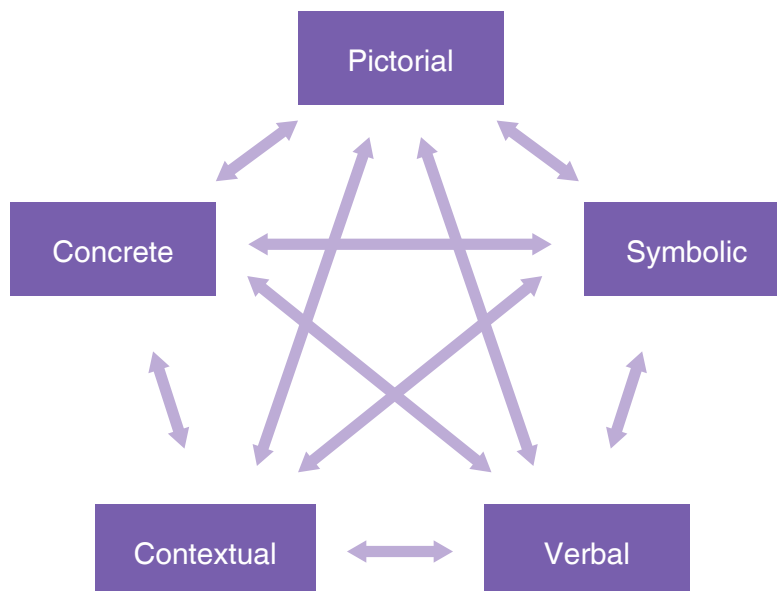
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