Brace Maps help learners understand the relationship between a whole physical object and its parts. They are used to analyze the structure of an item. It's like 'dissecting' on paper.

On the line to the left, write the name of the whole object. On the lines within the first brace to the right, write the major parts of the object, then follow within the next set of braces with the subparts of each major part.

Tree Maps are good for organizing the agenda of a meeting or showing the structure of an organization.

**Home Tips:** Think about (map out) the parts of a plant, a computer, a continent, country, or state, a unit of measurement.