Mnemonic Practice

1. Create an acrostic for the first six American presidents (as listed, in order of their presidency): Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Adams.

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1. Create an acrostic for the planets in order of their position in the solar system: Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune.

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1. Create an acronym for the four ocean zones: intertidal, near-shore, edge of continental shelf, perpetual darkness.

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1. Create an acronym for the confederate states: South Carolina, Mississippi, Florida, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Texas, Virginia, Arkansas, North Carolina, Tennessee.

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1. Create an acrostic for general properties of matter: mass, weight, volume, density.

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1. Create an acronym for types of triangles: Right, Acute, Obtuse, Equilateral, Equiangular, Isosceles, Scalene, Oblique.

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1. Create an acronym for the properties of light: reflection, refraction, transmission, absorption by matter.

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1. Create an acronym or an acrostic for inventors of the Industrial Revolution: Awkright, Bessemer, Watt, Singer, Telford, Stephenson, Edison.

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1. Using the letters of your first name, create an acrostic that describes your personality.

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1. Create name/trait mnemonics for:

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\*Create a spelling mnemonic to remember the correct usage of affect vs. effect.

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