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Do Now – Categories

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| Cognitive categories are organized into taxonomies - specifically folk taxonomies, which are in turn organized into levels of categorization.  Folk taxonomies, like all other taxonomies, are based on class inclusion and degree of generality. The former implies that units in the taxonomy are included under units further up the taxonomy, while the latter implies that the further up in the taxonomy a unit is located, the more general it is and the further down it is place the more specific it is.  Class inclusion and degree of specificity manifest themselves in three levels of categorization - namely the **superordinate level**, the **basic level** and the **subordinate level**. |

#1

* Superordinate Category ...vehicle
* Base Category ...\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Subordinate Category ...Volkswagen

#2

* Superordinate Category ...Car
* Base Category ...Volkswagen
* Subordinate Category ...\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

#3

* Superordinate Category ...Vehicle
* Base Category ...Boat
* Subordinate Category ...\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

#4

* Superordinate Category ...Vehicle
* Base Category ...\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Subordinate Category ...\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_