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Futurism: Exploring the concept of community in a virtual world



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The Thing from the Future



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4 types of card:

Arc (Growth, Collapse, Discipline, Transformation)

Terrain

Object

Mood



Arcs

Growth

A future in which
'progress' has continued

Discipline

A future in which order is
deliberately coordinated
or imposed

Collapse

A future in which society
as we know it has come
apart

Trans- formation

A future in which a
profound historical
evolution has occurred



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Terrain

Education

The moon

Childhood

Climate

The **context** or location where your object could be found in your imagined future



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Object

Book

Building

Slogan

Festival

The focus of your imaginations: a
specific **cultural artefact**



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Mood

Outrage

Cheer

Relief

Nostalgia

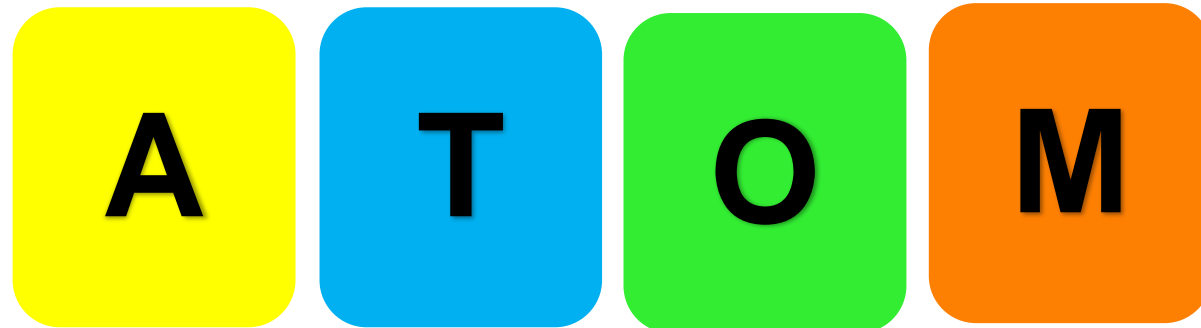
Suggests how it may **feel** to
experience this thing from the future



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Step 1

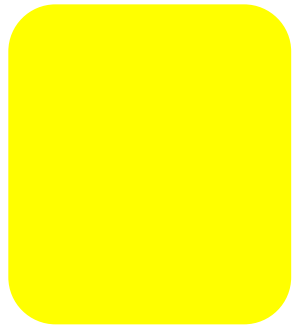
Spell out





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Arc



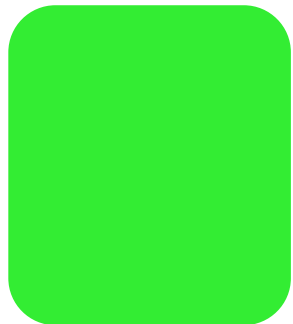
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Collapse – society has come apart
Discipline – order imposed
Transformation – profound evolution

Terrain



The **context** or location
of your object

Object



This is your focus; a cultural
artefact from the future

Mood



How it feels to
experience your 'thing'



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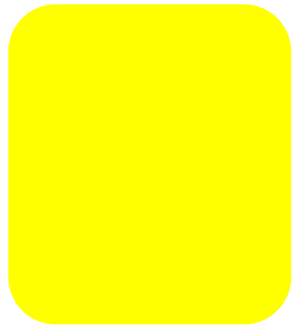
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**Write / draw your
description**



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Arc



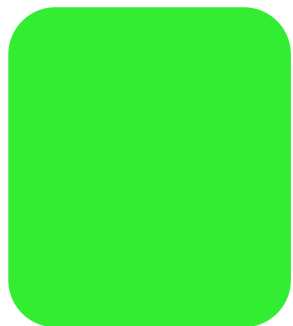
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Step 3

Share and vote



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**What is your key
takeaway from this
workshop?**