FIGURE 11.2 **Note-Taking Techniques.** Outline notes and matrix notes provide the same information but organize that information very differently.

Wildcats: Outline Notes

I. Tiger
- A. Call
  - 1. Roar
- B. Weight
  - 1. 450 pounds
- C. Life span
  - 1. 25 years
- D. Habitat
  - 1. Jungle
- E. Social behavior
  - 1. Solitary

II. Lion
- A. Call
  - 1. Roar
- B. Weight
  - 1. 400 pounds
- C. Life span
  - 1. 25 years
- D. Habitat
  - 1. Plains
- E. Social behavior
  - 1. Groups

III. Cheetah
- A. Call
  - 1. Purr
- B. Weight
  - 1. 125 pounds
- C. Life span
  - 1. 8 years
- D. Habitat
  - 1. Plains
- E. Social behavior
  - 1. Groups

IV. Bobcat
- A. Call
  - 1. Purr
- B. Weight
  - 1. 30 pounds
- C. Life span
  - 1. 6 years
- D. Habitat
  - 1. Forest
- E. Social behavior
  - 1. Solitary

Wildcats: Matrix Notes

	Tiger	Lion	Cheetah	Bobcat
Call	Roar	Roar	Purr	Purr
Weight	450	400	125	30
Life span	25	25	8	6
Habitat	Jungle	Plains	Plains	Forest
Social behavior	Solitary	Groups	Groups	Solitary

SOURCE: Kiewra, 2002.