Six Thinking Hats

What is it?

- It is a way to see the world differently.
- It helps you think differently.
- It helps you become a better English speaker.

**White Hat:** The data. Facts or missing facts.

**Red Hat:** Emotion. Feeling. Opinion

**Yellow Hat:** Benefits, Good points. What you like about it

**Black Hat:** Bad points. Problems. Mistakes you can find.

**Green Hat:** Creativity. Do something differently. What if was another way?

**Blue Hat:** Conclusions. The main idea. The Most valuable information.
Life Savers

Practice Your Six Thinking.Hats

Your turn.

1. Now we’re going to practice with a thinking and speaking activity.
2. Work with a partner. Look at the picture.
3. Write down your ideas for each thinking hat.
4. Make a story.

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Blue Hat: Conclusions. The main idea.
Here is one example.

**White Hat**
What are some facts about lifesavers?

round, hole in the middle, hard, sticky,
tastes like______,
made by a company, made with sugar, letters on them

**Red Hat**
How do you feel about eating this Lifesaver and why?

excited, happy, curious, yucky, depressed, energized, surprised, etc

**Yellow Hat**
What are the good points about eating this Lifesaver?

Good taste, fun, the company who makes it makes a profit,
opportunity to share with others, stops better breath

**Black Hat**
What are some possible problems about eating Lifesavers?

choking, tooth decay, don’t like flavor, litter, gain weight

**Green Hat Thinking**
What if there was no hole in the middle of the Lifesaver?

would look like all other hard candy,
could not put string through it to make a necklace
would get more candy for the money,
couldn’t try to put your tongue through it

**Blue Hat**
It’s a fun candy to eat.
There are lots of different tastes.
It’s been a popular candy for many years. Kids love it.
I wouldn’t change anything.