Bono's Six Thinking Hats

Red (Feelings about the issue)

White (straight Facts about the issue)

Black (Judgment, criticism, doubts about the issue)

Yellow (Optimism, the benefits that can be derived from examining, participating, learning about the issue)

Green (New Ideas and possible solutions)

Blue (Management - based on everything above, how can your team work together to figure out how to deal with challenges, commplications, incongruencies, etc.)

Print out the following 'hats' on coloured paper that corresponds to the index (above). Cut each sheet in half horizontally, staple the two halves together, and wear!



FACTS

FELINGS

OPTIMISM

JUDGEMENTS

NEWIDEAS

MANAGEMENT