

3 Components of Kick-A\$\$ Collaboration

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Kick-A\$\$ Collaboration





Autonomy



Write down:

- # of meetings you "have to attend" a week
- 1 meeting you look forward to
- 2-3 reasons you look forward to that meeting

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Neighbor Share:

What about that meeting do you enjoy?



We make meetings mandatory because it's easier than making them compelling.



How do we decide who decides?



Advise Consult Abstain Explain Accept Agree **Not a Decision Sole Decision** Not a **Sole Decision Group Decision Not a Decision** Maker Maker Maker Maker **Participant Participant** I will Consult with I will explain my I will Agree with I will Advise the I will accept the will abstain from the others before making decision others on this decision maker decision process this decision decision

Collaboration Contracts

Possible Roles to Choose





Running a Contract Session



	Explain	Consult	Agree	Advise	Accept	Abstain
	Sole Decision Maker	Sole Decision Maker	Group Decision Maker	Not a Decision Maker	Not a Decision Participant	Not a Participant
	I will explain my decision	I will Consult with others before making this decision	I will Agree with others on this decision	I will Advise the decision maker	I will accept the decision	I will abstain from the process
Decision		Ross	Monica	Rachel, Joey	Phoebe, Janice Chandler	

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	0	0	2+	0+	0+	0+

Conflict Detection



"The biggest problem in communication is the illusion that it has taken place."

- G.B. Shaw





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Safety



"Psychological safety is a belief that **one will not be punished or humiliated** for speaking up with ideas, questions, concerns or mistakes, and the team is safe for interpersonal risk-taking."

- Amy Edmondson



What creates safety?

- Each of you number a piece of paper with the number of people at your table. i.e. 1-8 for 8 people, 1-9 for 9...
- SILENTLY write 1 idea next to #1 & pass the paper to the right.
- When you get your neighbor's paper, add another idea on line #2 & pass again to the right.
- Keep passing until you have your own paper back.

Safety: Round Robin



Round Robin:

What creates safety?





Invite Dissent

Come on, it'll be fun!



"Should we all return to the office?"

- Pair up. Grab 5 red & 5 black playing cards or a die.
- On your turn, pick a card or roll the die.
 - Red card/odd number = argue AGAINST return to the office
 - Black card/even number = argue FOR returning to the office
- Continue taking turns.

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Safety





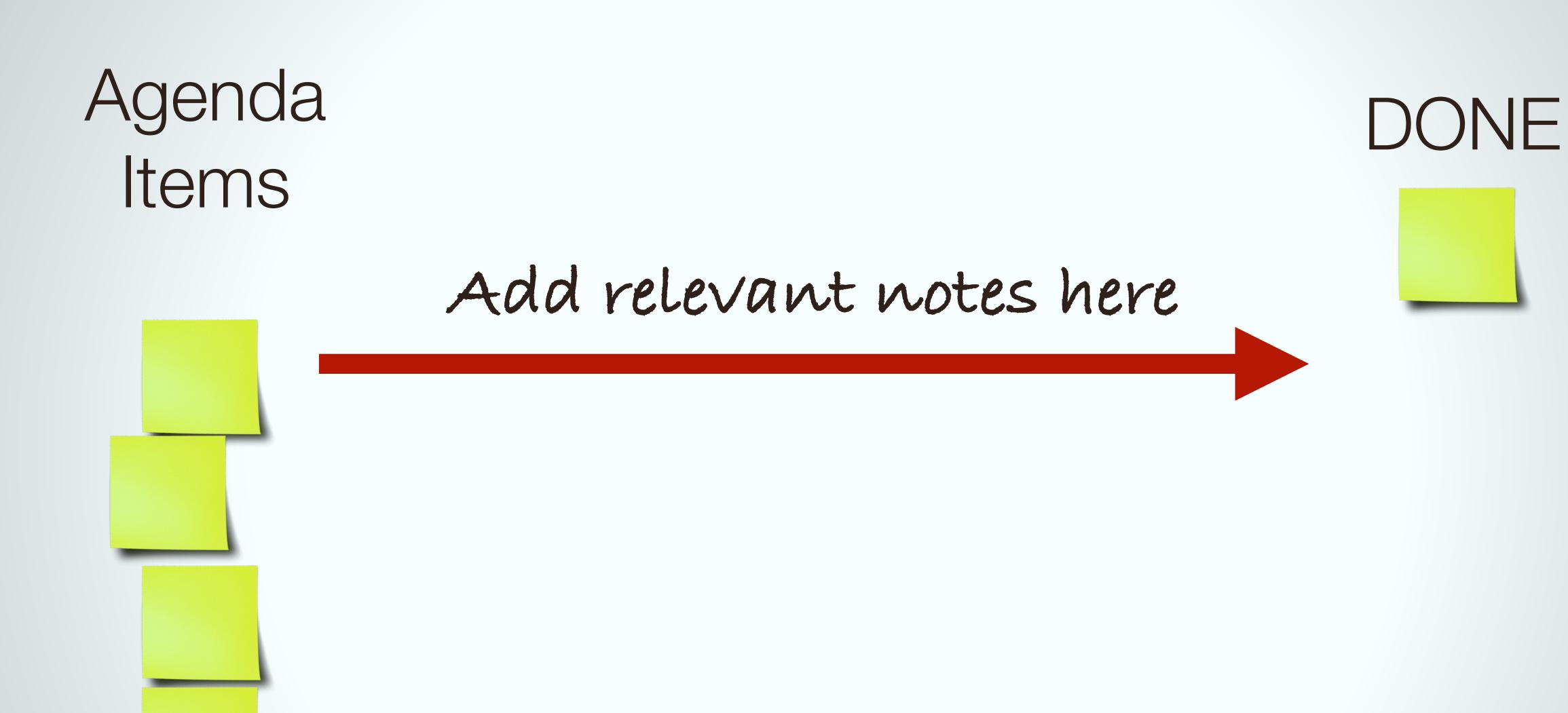
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Structure





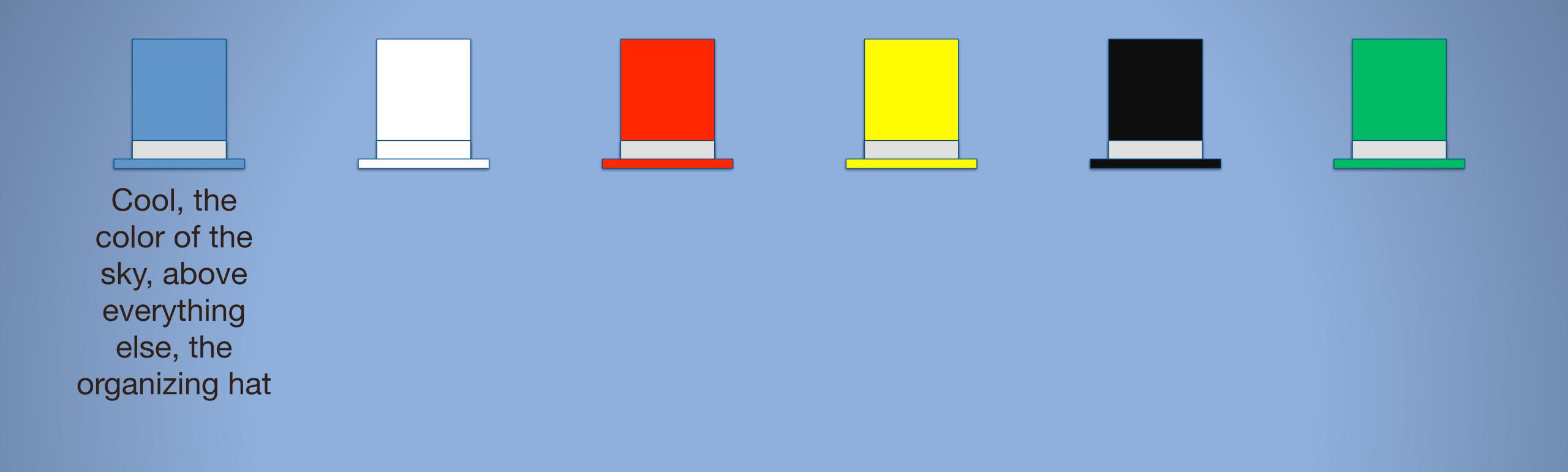




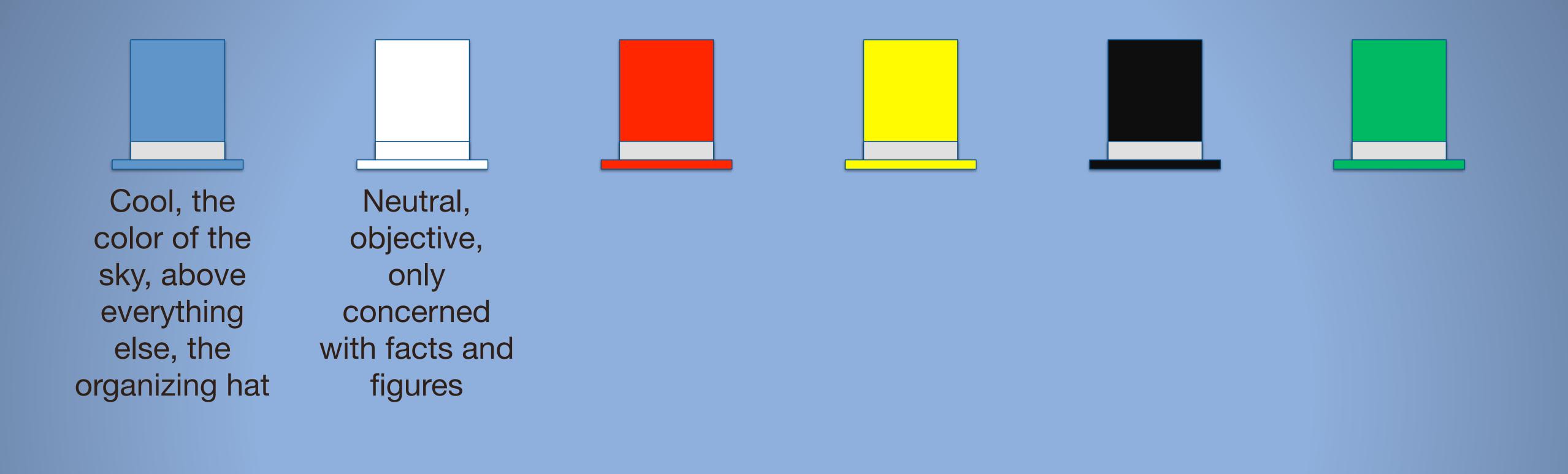
Pair Share

Why might this be effective?

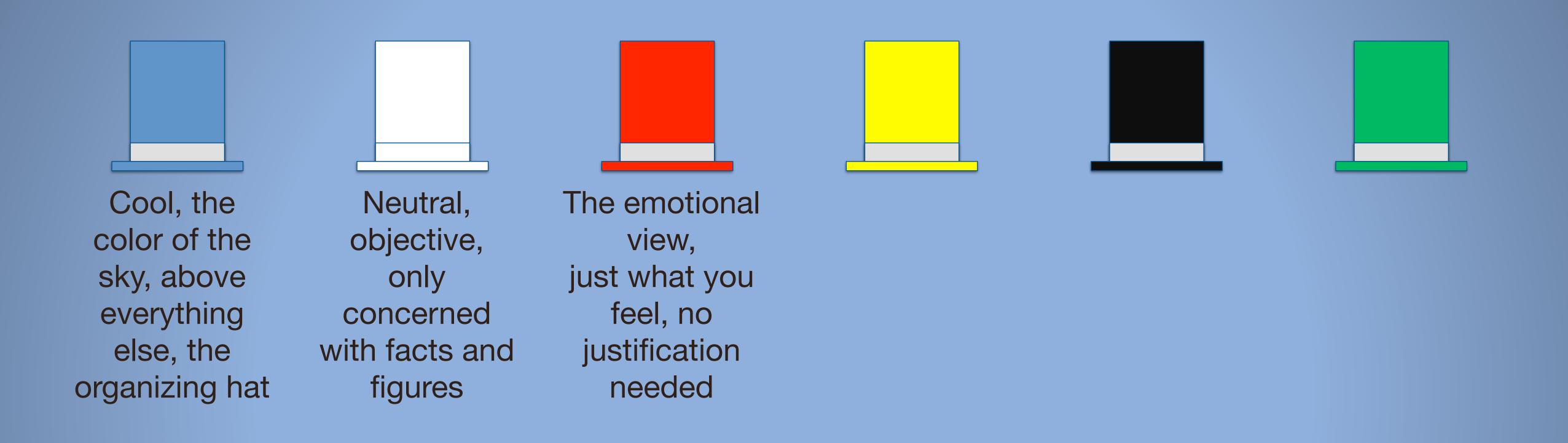




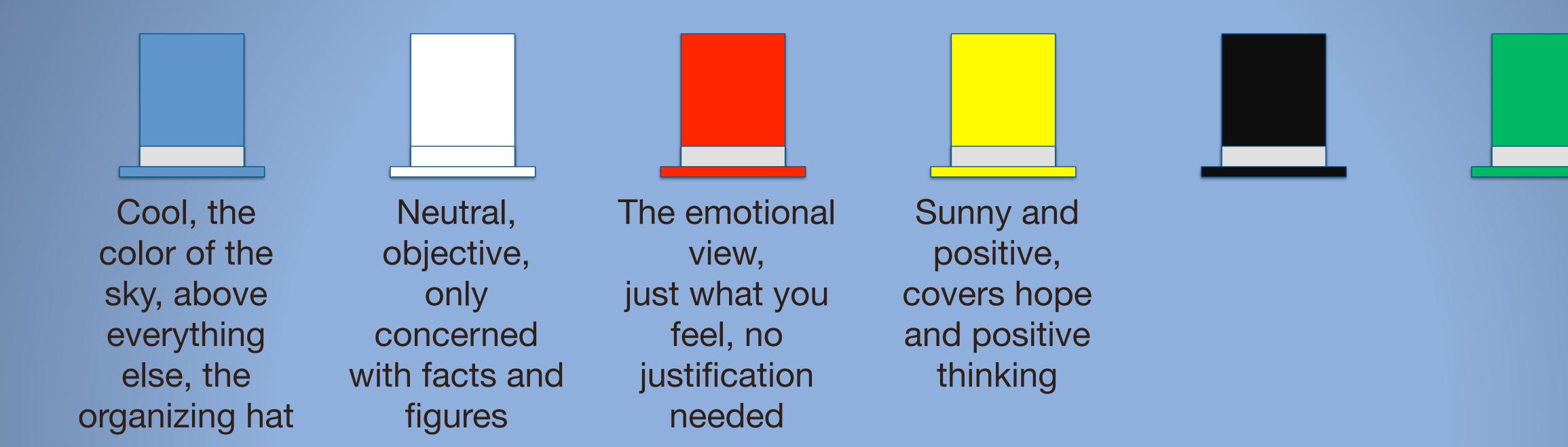








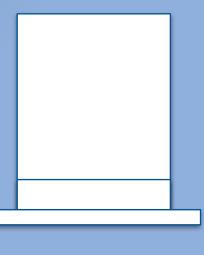




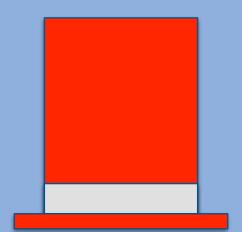




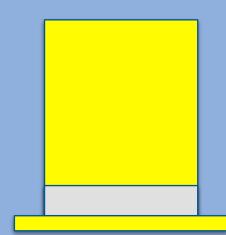
organizing hat



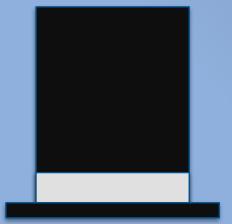
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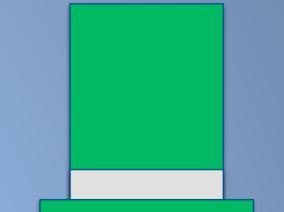
The emotional view, just what you feel, no justification needed



Sunny and positive, covers hope and positive thinking

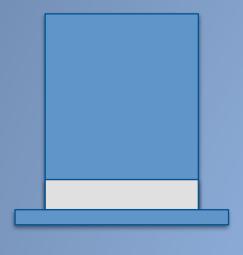


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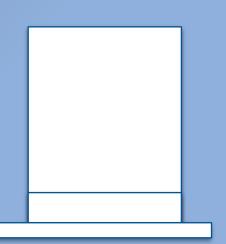


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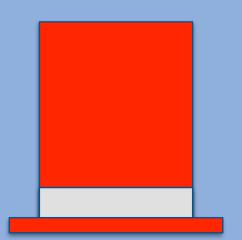




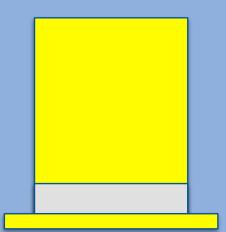
Cool, the color of the sky, above everything else, the organizing hat



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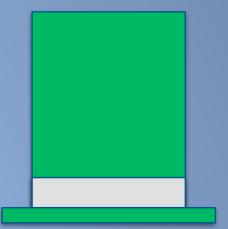
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Associated with fertile growth, creativity and new ideas

Six Thinking Hats



Context:					
thinking and planning for	NEUTRAL - facts & data, observable behavior, no opinions here	FEELINGS - instincts, gut reactions, no reasons or just-ifications given	BENEFITS - positives, pros, advantages, with logical reasons given	CAUTIONS - weaknesses, risks, difficulties, with logical reasons given	CREATIVITY - ideas, alternatives, possibilities, solve black hat problems
Sets the stage/context. Manages pace.					
Reminds folks of process.					



Pair Share

What decision are you facing that might benefit from parallel thinking?





Structure





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- 1. One Validation: one thing you heard that reinforced what you already knew
- 2. One New Idea: one new concept or technique
- 3. One Next Step: how will you apply any these principles?
- 4. Share with your neighbor

Reflection & Feedback



Thank You!

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