De Bono Thinking Frames

The following frameworks created by Edward de Bono provide a structure for you to deepen your thinking.

Six Thinking Frames for thinking about information

Uses: critically analyse information and literature.
Title of project: ________________________________

**Purpose:** Why do I need this information? Where should I look for information? What is the purpose for searching for the information?

**Accuracy:** Is the information accurate? Is the information credible?
Alternative points of view: What are the other perspectives?

Values: What values are represented in the information?

Interest: What are the matters of interest that are not obvious?

Outcomes and Conclusions: What is the result? What conclusions can be drawn?
Six thinking hats for thinking about different perspectives – Edward de Bono

Uses: explore an idea from different perspectives, find solutions to a problem, increase understanding of others’ viewpoints.

In a group, take turns to wear each hat.

Individuals can consider your topic or situation as if you were wearing each hat. If you are wearing the white hat, you will think about all the facts, yet if you are wearing the yellow hat, you will think about all the positives. Make notes from each perspective.

Title of project: ________________________________

What are the facts?

What are the positives?

What are the difficulties and dangers?

What are my feelings about this?

What are the possibilities, alternatives, and new ideas?

The blue hat represents the control process of a thinking hat group activity.
References


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