



Starter

What can you see?

- Individual
- Pairs
- Small group
- Whole group

Uses: As a start to mind mapping or as a way in for discussion regarding how we interpret things in different ways.

Resources: A selection of visual brain teasers; optical illusions or 'dingbats'. An internet search will yield many.

Time: 5-15 minutes.

What to do:

1. Display optical illusions as posters around the room or put postcard-sized versions on tables.
2. Visual brain teasers could be presented as a challenge between teams or just as a quick warm-up activity.
3. Be prepared to give the 'answers.'

Make it different:

- Put different versions in different parts of the room and get the participants to move around in groups.

Points to make:

- Sometimes we look at things in only one way. Taking a different slant on things can bring out new learning or increase insight.

