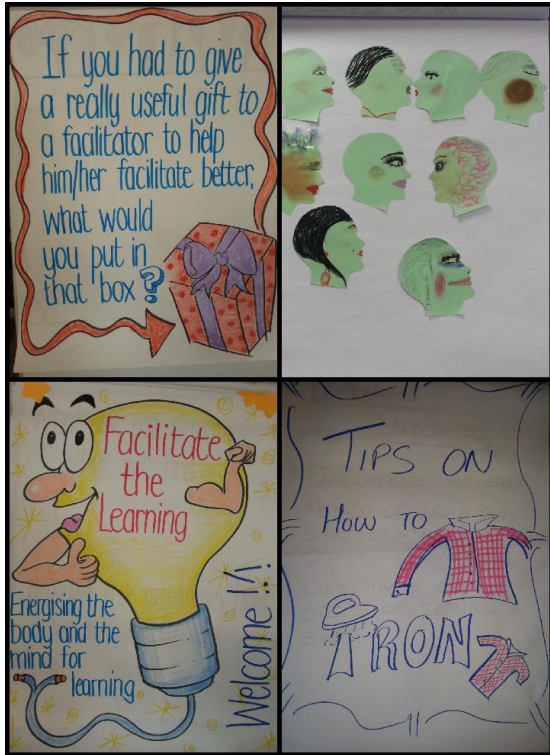


## DRAWINGS AND DESIGNS FOR FLIPCHARTS

*Flipcharts should be bright, organised and well-illustrated. They should be an integral part of the learning, planned just as carefully as a slide. At Gray Training we love our flipcharts and have developed quite a name for using flipcharts that pack a wallop! Here are some tips for you:*



- Invest in a selection of **decent markers**. (You can buy those all-time favourites, Mr Sketch and Colorix crayons from Gray Training)
- Draw a meaningful border around every flipchart to frame the content – it really helps learners to remember what you are saying. Collect ideas for borders by from magazines and advertisements.
- Develop a set of basic pictures and graphics that you will feel comfortable using, and practise them.
- Pick up a collection of rubber stamps and stamp pads at your local Scrapbooking or Stationery store.

- Add dimension to your flipcharts by attaching wool or string, paper cut-outs and shapes (eg our Gray Training ‘head’ shapes in the picture above), post-its, stickers, leaves and flowers etc.
- Link flipcharts to your topic by using a consistent colour, border, picture etc.
- Store your flipcharts in a bag or tube (Gray Training has a good collection) and you will be able to use them over and over again.
- And when inspiration fails you, browse these wonderful sites:

<http://www.pinterest.com/tefirst/flipchart-graphics/>

<http://www.thecreativetrainer.com/wordpress/using-creative-borders-for-flip-charts/>

<http://www.pinterest.com/explore/clip-art/>

<http://www.robertwlucas.com/articles.html>

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