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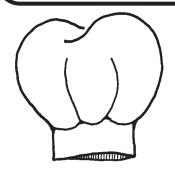
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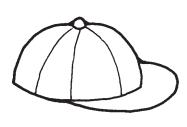
## **Hats**

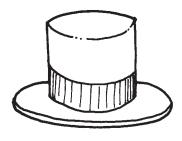
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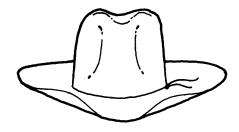
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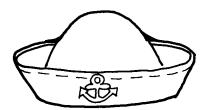
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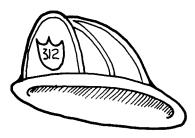




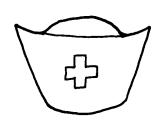


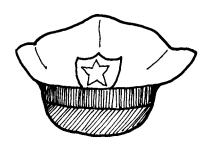












Art The Cat in the Hat

# **Painting Seuss-Style**

#### **Materials:**

- heavy white paper (15" x 20" / 38 cm x 51 cm)
- tempera paint (red, blue, white, black)
- tagboard sentence strips
- marking pens/brushes
- clear plastic book report covers (optional)



#### **Observe Illustrations:**

• Discuss Dr. Seuss's style of illustration. Have students look at illustrations and notice the colors (red, blue, white, and black), the shape of the lines (all curved), the way he drew characters (especially eyes and mouths), and the texture of the pictures (everything is painted in a smooth, flat, solid tone).

### **Painting Directions:**

- Have students choose a picture from the story. To achieve the style, the students need to look at the picture in the book while they draw and paint. (Cover the page with the plastic book report cover to keep it clean.)
- Draw with pencil and then paint. Be sure students outline their paintings with black (paint or markers) to achieve the style.

### **Writing Captions:**

- Students can write captions describing their paintings on sentence strips.
- Hang the paintings. Collect the sentence strips. To develop listening skills, have each student read his caption and let the rest of the class guess which painting is being described. Then hang the captions.

