

Taste the Rainbow Video Transcript

Ginger: "Hello, for our Seven Senses activity for taste, we have Taste the Rainbow. Our materials are jelly beans and colored pencils. Today we have a special guest. Her name is

Camryn: Hi Camryn!"

Camryn: "Hello!"

Ginger: "Thanks for joining us today! Camryn is going to be our guest and she is going to help and be our taste tester. So Camryn, what I need is your assistance. Can you tell me, by looking at jelly beans, what flavor do you think this jellybean will be?"

Camryn: "Since it's purple, I'm guessing grape?"

Ginger: "Okay, so can you -"

Camryn: "Shall I write it in here?"

Ginger: "Yes, please. And can you shade in the jelly bean with your color pencil?"

Camryn: "Right here?"

Ginger: "Yes, please. And can you do the same for the next one?"

Camryn: "Okay."

Ginger: "What flavor do you think the next jelly bean will be?"

Camryn: "Pink? I'm gonna say strawberry."

Ginger: "Okay."

Camryn: "And then shade it in?"

Ginger: "Yes, please."

Camryn: "Okay and then lemon, since it's yellow."

Ginger: "Alright, so the next step to our taste testing, you would blindfold your student. We don't have a blindfold with us today, so I'm gonna ask Camryn to close her eyes, and I'm going to give her a jelly bean. Can you put your hand out please?"

Camryn: “No peeking?” (laughs)

Ginger: “No peeking. Can you taste this jelly bean for me?”

Camryn: “Okay.”

Ginger: “What flavor do you taste?”

Camryn: “I think strawberry.”

Ginger: “Okay, I will record that for you. Alright, are you ready for your next jelly bean?”

Camryn: “Yes. Mm, this one’s the lemon one.”

Ginger: “Okay, I will write that down. And your last jelly bean.”

Camryn: “I think this is grape, but now I'm kind of - no, I think it's grape.”

Ginger: “You sure?”

Camryn: “Mhm.” (laughs)

Ginger: “Alrighty, you may open your eyes.”

Camryn: “How did I do? Is that right? I don’t even know if I got the original ones right though.”

Ginger: “(laughing) You were correct.”

Camryn: “Yay!” (clapping)

Ginger: “Very good. So, Camryn has an excellent palette. So, she was able to look at the shades of each of the jelly beans, and by her prior knowledge, because she’s had grapes, I’m sure.”

Camryn: “Mhm. (agreeing, nodding her head)”

Ginger: “She’s had strawberries, she’s had lemons.”

Camryn: “Yes.”

Ginger: “And so, she is able to draw back on prior knowledge, and with her taste buds, her sight, she is able to know through her sense of taste, even with her eyes closed, she was able to still recognize those flavors. Now with your students, if they are younger, they might not be able to do so and that’s okay and that’s why we’re doing this taste test. That’s part of the taste

test. And you can let them explore some things, because not all kids have tasted lemons, not all kids have had grapes or strawberries. So, there's other flavors in jelly beans that your student or child might have explored yet. So, I hope you'll enjoy this activity. And oh also, if your student or child did not select the right flavors, let them go back at this time, with their sight - I'm gonna have Camryn do so. Go back and eat the jelly bean while looking at the jelly bean. And she can say, Oh so this is the yellow jelly bean and it is a lemon jellybean. And you just discuss the topic with the child or student."

Camryn: "It's more obvious when I see it, what flavor it is."

Ginger: "Right, because it was hard, because the grape, you almost changed your mind. What flavor did you think it was?"

Camryn: "I don't know, but I just was doubting that it was grape, but I knew that was the one I had left."

Ginger: "Right."

Camryn: "But I'm not sure, yeah."

Ginger: "Because you're smart. I couldn't trick you." (laughing)

Camryn: "I'm a little grown."

Ginger: "Right, dang-gone it! Well I'm glad you enjoyed the activity."

Camryn: "That was fun, I liked eating the jelly beans."

Ginger: "(laughing) I'm glad you did. Thank you for participating with us."

Camryn: "Thanks for having me."

Ginger: "Alright, I'll see you soon. Alright, you guys enjoy too, okay? Bye!"