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Detective question: If children can't see without their eyes, how could they read with a blindfold on?



Predict, test, explain. Guess first, then try it!

	Test	My guess	What happened	Was I right?
1	Scarf only, card held low: could I read it?	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
2	Cotton pads under the scarf: could I read it?	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
3	Card behind my head, or paper bag on: could I read it?	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
4	My friend in a scarf: did they tilt their head back?	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No



Explain: Where are the gaps in an ordinary blindfold? Why are they there?



Look closely: Can you tell a colour by touching or smelling the card? Why not?



Think like a scientist: Why should we test the **blindfold**, and not just the reader?
