Parallelism Worksheet 2

Edit the following paragraphs to correct faulty parallelism.

Red, blue, yellow, green, and the color purple have various effects on the human psyche. Red has been proven to make people hungry. This is the rationale behind fast food chains’ red roofs. Blue and the color green have a calming effect. Doctors, lawyers, and people who sell merchandise often will wear the colors blue and green in an attempt to have their patients, clients, and customers trust them more. Purple is similar in that it produces a calming effect, but instead of invoking trust, it promotes cognitive activity. Some study rooms in schools are painted with a light purple hue to encourage intellectual activity. Lastly, yellow has the reverse effect. It causes people to be jumpy, nervous, and feel uneasy. Yellow may be a bright and color full of cheer, but too much of it can be adverse. When all of these colors are present, as in a rainbow, what is the effect then?