What kid doesn’t like hot dogs? They’re a fun food and simply delicious. But they are also soft and round and just the right shape to block your airway, too. That is why it’s important to always chew hot dogs very carefully before swallowing, and never play around with food in your mouth. Plus, you should never, ever give a hot dog to a little kid that hasn’t been sliced in half along the side first. They could choke if you give them the wrong type of food. So enjoy your hot dogs safely!