Early Learning Unit 2

Week 8: More Feelings

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Lesson Time

Your child is learning how to tell if someone feels surprised or scared.

Your child is also learning two different ways to tell how other people feel:

- Look at their faces and bodies for clues
- Focus attention on what is happening

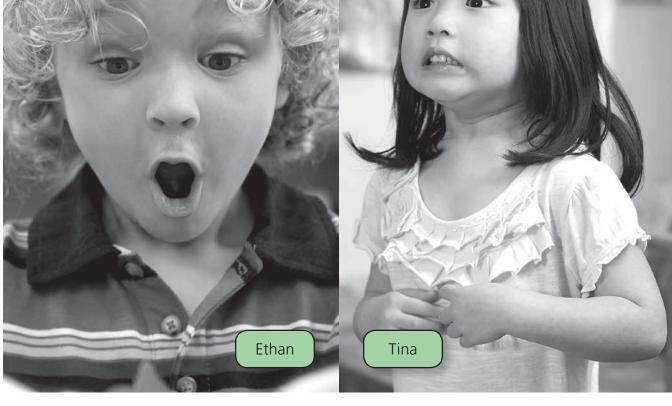
Understanding how others feel helps your child get along with others and be friends.

Story Time

Play Time

Play a game with your child to practice using the two different ways to tell how someone feels. Play while looking at a picture book or a magazine.

Say: We're going to play How Do They Feel? We'll look at the pictures in this book without reading the words. Then we'll try to tell how the people in the pictures feel. Before starting, review the two different ways to tell how someone feels.



This week's stories are about Ethan and Tina. Ethan is surprised by a pop-up book. Tina is scared by a loud noise. Ask your child about these photos.

- What do you see in these photos?
- How can you tell that Ethan is surprised? (By his face. By what is happening—there is a pop-up picture in Ethan's book that he wasn't expecting.)
- How can you tell that Tina is scared? (By her face. By what is happening—a really loud noise.)

Let's make a surprised face and then a scared face. Look at each other's faces for surprised and scared clues.