EMOTIONS

HAPPY



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TOOLS FOR TEACHERS

- **ATOS:** 0.6
- **GRL:** D
- **WORD COUNT:** 47
- **CURRICULUM CONNECTIONS:** emotions

Skills to Teach

- **HIGH-FREQUENCY WORDS:** a, are, do, gets, he, is, it, she, they, you
- **CONTENT WORDS:** feeling, feels, friends, happy, laughs, shares, smiles
- **PUNCTUATION:** periods, question marks
- **WORD STUDY:** long /e/, spelled *ee* (*feeling*, *feels*), spelled *y* (*happy*); long /o/, spelled *ow* (*show*); /oo/, spelled *oo* (*good*); /ow/, spelled *ow* (*how*)
- **TEXT TYPE:** information report

Before Reading Activities

- Read the title and give a simple statement of the main idea.
- Have students "walk" though the book and talk about what they see in the pictures.
- Introduce new vocabulary by having students predict the first letter and locate the word in the text.
- Discuss any unfamiliar concepts that are in the text.

After Reading Activities

Talk with children about different emotions. Talk about the signs of happiness. Ask the children to act out something that makes them happy. Maybe it is taking part in their favorite activity, sport, or craft. Maybe it is being with a friend. Or sharing a toy, idea, or joke. Discuss their answers as a group.

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