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Skill focus: Understanding one's feelings

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Skill Close-up

Read the story and the question.

Danny sees a girl in the book shop. The girl is crying. 'Are you OK?' asks Danny. 'I'm looking for my mum,' she answers.

e.g. How does the girl feel?

- A. happy
- B. sad
- C. thirsty
- D. bored

How do we use this skill?

Step 1: Look for feeling words.

We can / cannot find feeling words in the story.

Step 2: Find out what the person does or how he / she looks.

The girl is crying.

Sad people cry.

Step 3: Guess the feeling.

Now we can get the answer!

Date: _____

Warm-up

It's your turn! Try answering the question using this skill.

A waitress pours some tea on Mr. Ng. His face turns red and says, 'My trousers are dirty now. You're careless!' Everyone in the restaurant can hear him.

1. Mr. Ng feels _____ .
- A. bored
 - B. happy
 - C. angry
 - D. tired

Step 1: Look for feeling words.

I **can / cannot** find feeling words in the story.

Step 2: Find out what the person does or how he / she looks.

Mr. Ng's face turns **green / red / blue** .

Step 3: Guess the feeling.

I can get the answer now!

Reading Comprehension

Sharon and her mum are at a shopping centre. Read the conversation.

Mum: We're finally here, Sharon! I like this new shopping centre. There are a lot of wonderful shops!

Sharon: Which shop do you want to go to, Mum?

Mum: The clothes shop. I want to buy a pair of shorts. I want to buy a scarf for your dad too.

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Sharon: Great! Shall we go to the sportswear shop after that? I have swimming lessons on Friday. I need a swimming suit.

Mum: OK. What's next? The toy shop?

Sharon: Willie's birthday is coming. I want to buy a card for him at the gift shop.

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Mum: Oh, you're right!

Sharon: But Mum, I need some food right now ...

Mum: Let's have a buffet lunch first. Follow me.

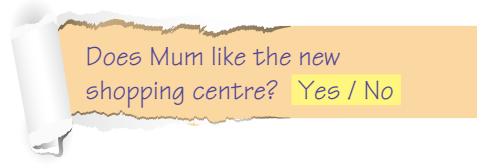
Read more!



Answer the following questions.

★ 1. Read lines 1–2. How does Mum feel?

- A. sad B. angry
 C. bored D. happy



2. Sharon wants to buy _____ at the gift shop.



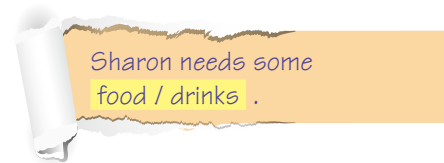
- A. B. C. D.

3. Sharon and her mum go to the following places. Put them in the correct order.

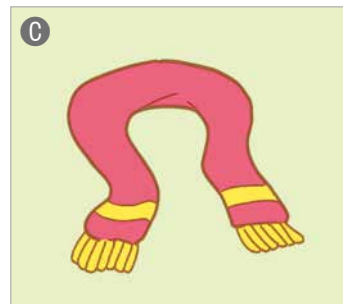
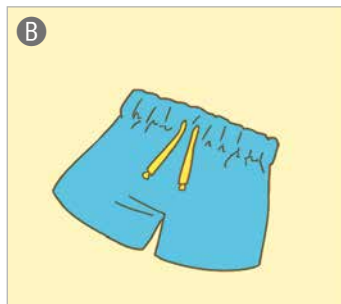
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| 1. Dragon Hotel | 2. Lily's Gift Shop |
| 3. Sun Sportswear Shop | 4. Amazing Clothes Shop |
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★ 4. At the end of the conversation, Sharon feels _____ .

- A. hungry B. thirsty
 C. angry D. tired



5. Who are these things for? Match them with the people. Write the correct letters (A–C) in the boxes.



(i) Mum

(ii) Dad

(iii) Sharon