

### I FEEL GRUMPY

**Grumpy Badger's Christmas** / Paul Bright

The forest animals' Christmas celebrations keep interrupting Grumpy Badger's winter hibernation, until he decides to join them.

**Grumpy Gloria** / Anna Dewdney

Family members try various ways to cheer up their grouchy bulldog.

**Grumpy Goat** / Brett Helquist

Goat is the grumpiest animal at Sunny Acres farm until he remembers that there is more to life than eating and being alone.

**What Are You So Grumpy About?** / Tom Lichtenheld

A collection of cartoons that present various reasons for being grumpy.

**Mr. Pusskins: A Love Story** / Sam Lloyd

Grumpy Mr. Pusskins hates doing ordinary cat things but a night out on the streets makes him reconsider the advantages of a loving home.

**I Love It When You Smile** / Sam McBratney

A grumpy little kangaroo is having a bad day until his mother makes him smile.

**Maya Was Grumpy** / Courtney Pippin-Mathur

Maya doesn't know why she's grumpy. She's just in a cranky, grumpy, grouchy mood. Luckily, Gramma isn't ruffled by Maya's mood.

**Smile** / John A. Rowe

King and Queen Grumpy are very worried when their new baby son seems to be disfigured by a strange expression on his face.

**The Grumpy Dump Truck** / Brie Spangler

Bertrand the dump truck is always grumpy and mean, but a chance encounter with a porcupine reveals that his bad mood has a cause.

**Grumpy Cat** / Britta Teckentrup

A story about a loner cat whose life changes after a determined little kitten enters the picture.

**Bernard the Angry Rooster** / Mary Wormell

Bernard the rooster becomes unusually grumpy one day, causing the other animals to be concerned about his behavior.

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*Suggestions from the Mt. Lebanon Public Library  
for children in preschool through second grade*

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*Unless otherwise noted, all books may be found in  
the picture book section under the author's last name.*

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**Feelings** / Aliko

Pictures, poems, and stories portray emotions we all feel.

**What Makes Me Happy?** / Catherine and Laurence Anholt

Rhyming verse describes children's feelings.

**Sometimes** / Keith Baker (j Er PRIMER BAKER)

An alligator feels different things, but they are all okay.

**Happy Hippo, Angry Duck: A Book of Moods** / Sandra Boynton

Clever animals exemplify a wide range of emotions in this hilarious story about different feelings. (j T BOYNTON)

**Today I Feel Silly & Other Moods That Make My Day** / Jamie Lee Curtis

Different days bring different moods and emotions.

**Yesterday I Had the Blues** / Jeron Ashford Frame

A young boy ponders a variety of emotions and how different members of his family experience them.

**How Are You Peeling? Foods with Moods** / Saxton Freymann

Photos of vegetables with faces introduce the world of emotions.

**Duck & Goose, How Are You Feeling?** / Tad Hills (j T HILLS)

Friends Duck and Goose experience many emotions.

**Grump Groan Growl** / Bell Hooks

A bad mood is on the prowl, but just let those feelings be.

**Wibbly Pig Is Happy!** / Mick Inkpen (j T INKPEN)

Wibbly Pig feels happy, surprised, and upset all in one day.

**Sunshine & Storm** / Elisabeth Jones

Sunshine becomes angry at her friend Storm and hurts his feelings.

**Love is a Good Thing to Feel** / Barbara Jooisse

Harriet talks about feeling love and anger at the same time.

**On Monday When It Rained** / Cheryl Kachenmeister

A young boy describes the different emotions he feels each day.

**Why Do You Cry?: Not a Sob Story** / Kate Klise

Little Rabbit decides to invite only those friends who are also too old to cry to his fifth birthday party.

**Hurty Feelings** / Helen Lester

A hippopotamus whose feelings are easily hurt meets a rude elephant.

**Understanding Feelings** / Susan Martineau (j 155.4124 Mar)

Why do i feel like this?—I'm really worried—I hate you!—I feel jealous—Feeling shy — I'm so sad—Feeling happy, feeling glad —It was so embarrassing! —Missing someone—I can't stand that—Feel proud of yourself—Be a feelings detective!—How are you feeling?—Words to know.

**Shy Spaghetti and Excited Eggs: A Kid's Menu of Feelings** / Marc Nemiroff (j 155.4124 Nem)

**Baby Happy Baby Sad** / Leslie Patricelli (j T PATRICELLI)

Shows situations that make baby happy and sad.

**Walter was Worried** / Laura Vaccaro Seeger

Children's faces react to the onset of a storm and its aftermath.

**My Many Colored Days** / Dr. Seuss

Describes each day in terms of a color which is associated with an emotion.

**How Do I Feel?** / Norma Simon

A young boy describes his feelings in different situations.

**When You are Happy** / Eileen Spinelli

A young child learns that love complements every mood.

**Sometimes I'm Bombaloo** / Rachel Vail

When Katie feels angry and out of control, her mother helps her to be herself again.

**I Love My New Toy!** / Mo Willems (j Er WILLEMS)

When Elephant accidentally breaks Piggie's new toy, they both experience intense feelings before coming to realize how important their friendship is.

**The Pigeon Has Feelings, Too!: A Smidgeon of Pigeon** / Mo Willems

Do pigeons have feelings? (j T WILLEMS)

**Susan Laughs** / Jeanne Willis

A little girl who uses a wheelchair experiences a wide range of emotions.

## I FEEL HAPPY

**Happy to You!** / Caron Lee Cohen

A baby takes the happiness that he experiences at a party home with him.

**Happy Cat** / Steve Henry

Cat makes new animal friends as he climbs higher and higher in an apartment building.

**Happy** / Mies van Hout

Dive into this book and be swept along with some remarkable fish; from curious to sad; from shy to proud; and from angry to happy

**Wibbly Pig is Happy!** / Mick Inkpen

Wibbly Pig feels happy, surprised, upset and happy again all in one day.

**The Happy Hippopotami** / Bill Martin, Jr.

The happy hippopotami enjoy a merry beach holiday and other fun times.

**Taking a Bath with the Dog and Other Things That Make Me Happy** / Scott Menchin

A little girl asks people, animals, and the moon what makes them happy.

**If You're Happy and You Know It!** / Jan Ormerod

A little girl and various animals sing versions of this popular rhyme.

**Augustus and His Smile** / Catherine Rayner

Augustus the tiger finds his missing smile when he looks in a puddle.

**Happy Harry's Cafe** / Michael Rosen

Harry makes great soup. So Harry's friends are always running to his café.

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**Misery Moo** / Jeanne Willis

A pessimistic cow is so resistant to a lamb's attempts to cheer her up that the previously happy lamb starts to feel just like the miserable cow.

## I FEEL SAD

**When I Feel Sad** / Cornelia Maude Spelman

A guinea pig describes what makes him sad and what makes him feel better.

**My Friend is Sad** / Mo Willems (j Er WILLEMS)

When Gerald the Elephant is sad, Piggie is determined cheer him up.

**Voyage to the Bunny Planet** / Rosemary Wells

Sad bunny children are cheered up when they are transported to the magical Bunny Planet, where they experience their bad days as they should have been.

**Sad, Mad, Glad Hippos** / Jane Yolen (j T YOLEN)

Hippos display a variety of feelings.