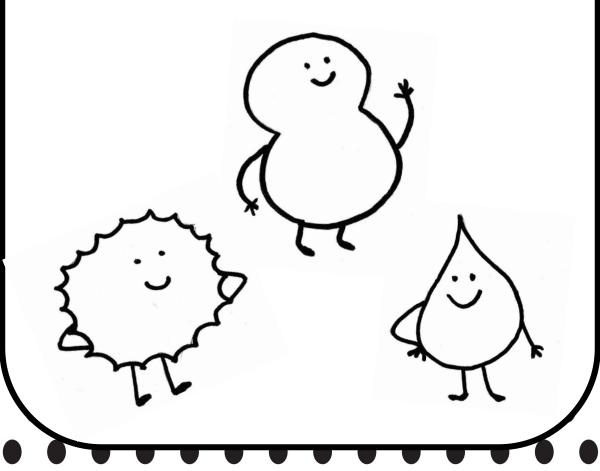


Follow Up Activity and Worksheets for Elementary Students



By Lysa Mullady

Red Yellow Blue is a book that supports social and emotional learning.

It explores a wide range of feelings and
the importance of cooperation.

When discussing feelings in the classroom, it is important to:

- Validate that all feelings are ok.
- Teach the importance of talking out your feelings with a trusted person as a means of coping with difficult emotions.
 - Make the connection between the emotion and the event that caused it.

Cooperation is the action of working together towards a common goal. Working together makes a job easier and gives everyone involved positive feelings of accomplishment and belonging.

Kids show cooperation by:

- Listening not only to instructions, but to other members of the group.
 - Being wiling to take turns and share when necessary.
 - Being able to compromise, to change their point of view based on the ideas of the group.
 - Using encouraging words.
 - Appreciating what others do.



Paper Chain Cooperation Class Activity

Objectives:

- The students will be able to define cooperation.
- The students will be able to list actions that show cooperation.
- The students will be able to work demonstrate cooperation by working together to create a paper chain.

Materials:

Copy and cut our the strips of paper.

Each student should receive three strips, one with each character.

If possible, make copies on red, yellow and blue paper or have the students color the strips red, yellow and blue.

You will also need chart paper or a white board to list student responses.

Tape or staplers.

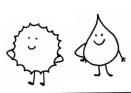
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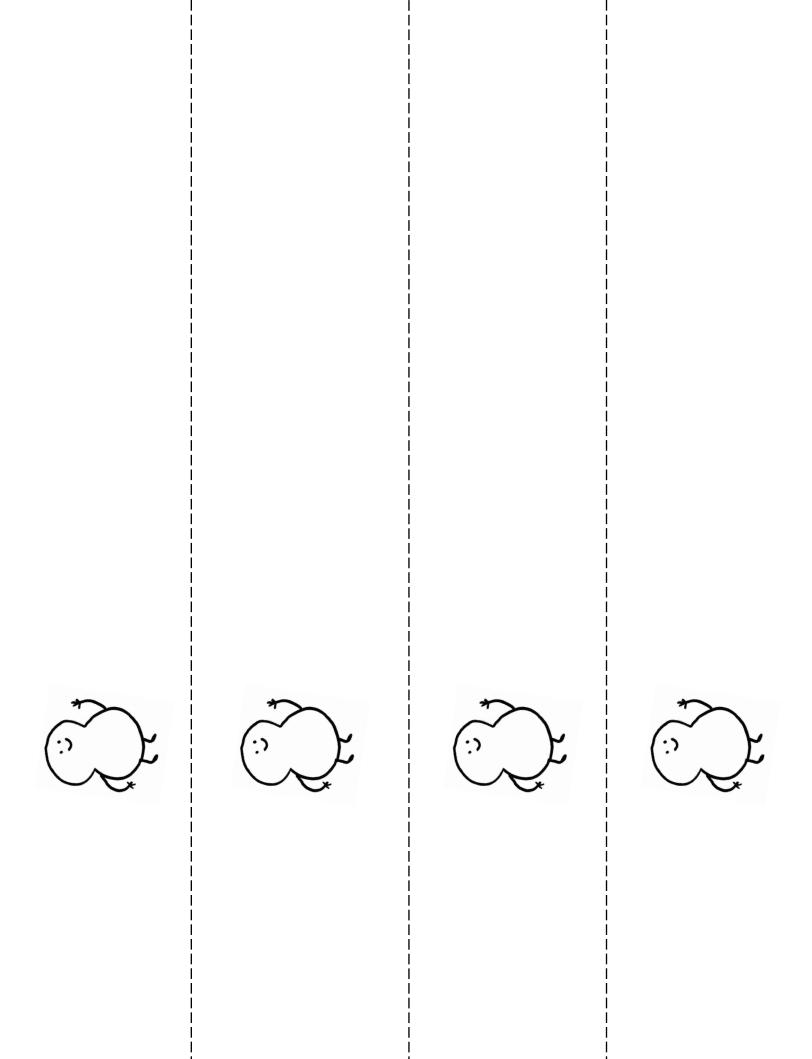
- 1. Read Red Yellow Blue by Lysa Mullady.
- 2. Discuss what it means to cooperate and what you do to cooperate with others.

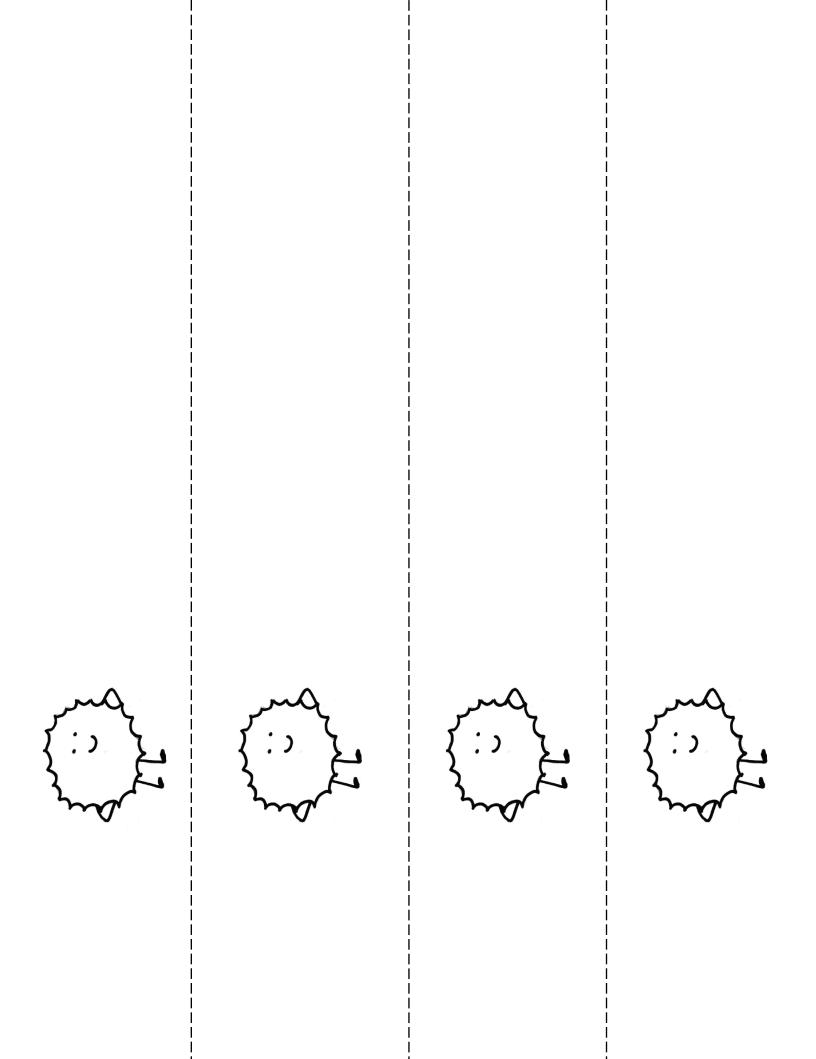
 Write answers on the board.
- 3. Provide each student with three strips of paper.
- 4. On each strip of paper, instruct the students to write a word or words that reflects cooperation.
 - 5. After the writing is complete, let the students work together to create a paper chain.

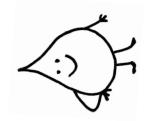


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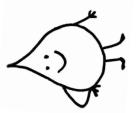












Match the feeling to the character.



sad



happy



mad

Draw a picture of a person you trust to talk out your feelings with:





Fill in the blanks.







What can you do to feel better when you are feeling mad?





What is cooperation?
When have you worked with others?
Why is it important to cooperate?
(i)

Draw a picture of you cooperating with your friends!