

Social Language

| Problem Solving | Nonverbal Communication | Inferencing / Predicting | Conversations | Perspective Taking |
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| <p>What is the size of the problem?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> You borrowed your friend's shirt and spilled grape juice on it. A classmate is trying to copy from your test. Someone fell at recess and broke their arm. Your pencil breaks. | <p>Describe how someone might look when they are feeling:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Jealous Excited Nervous Happy Upset | <p>You go to work with your dad and spend the day shredding papers in his office. When you get home, you notice two small cuts on your fingers that weren't there before.</p> <p>How do you think you got those cuts?</p> | <p>What could you say next? "My dad and I went to a baseball game last night." You: _____</p> <p>"I'm getting a new puppy!" You: _____</p> <p>"Did you see the poster?" You: _____</p> | <p>Anna unpacks her lunchbox when she gets into the cafeteria. She lays out all of her food. Her friend, Maddie, reaches across and takes a chip from Anna's bag.</p> <p>What is Maddie thinking? What is Anna thinking?</p> |
| <p>Tell two solutions for the problem:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> You take your iPad out for class and the battery is dead. You forgot your lunch at home. You are taking a walk and a stray dog approaches you. | <p>How do you think this person feels?</p>  <p>Why might they feel that way?</p> | <p>A girl dragged her towel and inner tube on the road as she walked home from the pool. The next time she went swimming, she went to get her tube and it was flat. She tried to put more air in it, but it stayed flat.</p> <p>What do you think happened?</p> | <p>What could you say next? "I just found out my family is moving." You: _____</p> <p>"I saw a movie yesterday." You: _____</p> <p>"What are you doing this weekend?" You: _____</p> | <p>Your sister let you borrow her earrings for the day. When you get home, you realize that one of the earrings must have fallen out during the day, and you don't know where it is.</p> <p>What are you thinking? What is your sister thinking?</p> |
| <p>What could you do?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> After gym class, you go into the locker room to change but you can't find your shirt. You are taking a test and no talking is allowed, but your pencil breaks. | <p>Describe how someone might look when they are feeling:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Frustrated Bored Proud Confused Scared | <p>You and your friend were babysitting a group of babies. The babies were all crawling and playing, and seemed happy. All of a sudden, your friend looked at you and pinched her nose.</p> <p>Where do you think the smell came from?</p> | <p>You need to ask your teacher a question about some homework, so you stop into her room at the end of the day.</p> <p>What could you say to her as you enter the room?</p> | <p>Maria's teacher returns a test in class. Maria looks at her test, and then crumples it up and throws it in the trash can. When her friend asks her how she did, Maria says she got an A.</p> <p>What is Maria thinking? What is her friend thinking?</p> |
| <p>What is one way to deal with a small problem?</p> <p>What is one way to deal with a medium sized problem?</p> <p>What is one way to deal with a large problem?</p> | <p>How do you think this person is feeling?</p>  <p>Why might they feel that way?</p> | <p>Your mom takes a container of popcorn into the living room to watch a movie. After a few minutes, you hear her yell your dog's name, and then she comes into the kitchen looking mad.</p> <p>What happened?</p> | <p>Your friends are talking about their weekend plans, and you would like to ask them about a new movie that just came out. How could you shift the topic?</p> | <p>Amanda is a new student in the school. She is sitting alone at lunch, because she doesn't know anyone yet. Hannah comes up and asks if she can sit with her.</p> <p>What is Amanda thinking? What is Hannah thinking?</p> |