

Monday

WALT: write the middle of a fable  
focussing on the problem.

*Problem*  
(What is the problem?)

You will be choosing a problem from those listed below which will happen to one of your characters. You will then include *Emotive language* when describing how they feel / react.

*falls into the water but cannot swim*

*last piece of food belongs to another animal*

*water pump is jammed*

*tree falls down onto the character*

#### Emotive Language Word Mat

agony	cruel	honest	panic	tremendous
atrocious	damaging	inferior	repulsive	urge
atrocious	disaster	innocent	riot	vile
appalling	disgust	magic	secret	vulnerable
beg	dreadful	magnificent	shame	wicked
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Refer back to your character description sheets.

This will help you to remember what type of personality traits you said they would have. It may make them act/feel a certain way!

### Character description help sheet

#### Hair

**Style-** cropped, frizzy, dishevelled, knotted, scruffy, tousled, matted, unkempt, greasy, dry, oily, well-kempt, sleek, smooth, combed

**Colour-** jet-black, ebony, auburn, chestnut-brown, ash-brown, mousey, golden-brown, blonde, honey-coloured, ginger, rusty, reddish-brown, snow-white, silver-grey

**Lips-** cracked, full, luscious, parted, ruby-red, thin

**Teeth-** crooked, gappy, white, straight, rotten

**Nose-** beaky, pointy, flat, button-like, hooked, small

#### Face

**Skin colour-** bronze, caramel, ebony, fair, milky, olive

**Complexion-** freckled, pale, pasty, rosy, ruddy, spotty, glowing, sunburnt, wrinkled

**Facial hair-** moustache, stubble, beard, bristly

#### Physique

**Skinny-** Gangly, lanky, scrawny, spindly, withered, slender

**Small-** petite, slender, slight, slim, thin, trim, willowy

**Big/ athletic-** beefy, big-boned, chubby, fat, stocky, rough, stubby, strong, lean, muscly, built

**Voice-** bellowing, childlike, cackling, feeble, harsh, hollow, husky, nasal, monotone, sharp, shrill, soothing, squawky,



#### Eyes

**Colour-** light blue, dark blue, sky blue, emerald-green, jade-green, sea-green, deep-grey, hazel

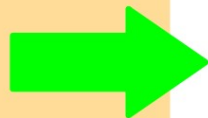
**Positioning-** Wide apart, large, bulging, sunken, small, wrinkly, wide set, narrow

#### Positive personality traits

Confident, cheerful, adventurous, friendly, outgoing, cheerful, obedient, generous, lively, loyal, dependable, patient, diligent, sensitive, open-minded, humble, forgiving, happy, bouncy, compassionate, funny, honest, fair, hard-working, intelligent, modest, reliable, supportive, respectful, considerate, polite, dedicated, sincere

#### Negative personality traits

Cruel, disrespectful, quick-tempered, stubborn, deceitful, greedy, sarcastic, selfish, rude, spoiled, moody, ungrateful, irresponsible, anxious, lazy, impatient, aggressive, angry, arrogant, annoying, conceited, clumsy, crafty, fickle, fierce, grumpy, indecisive, materialistic, obnoxious, uptight, rebellious, shallow



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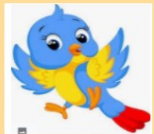
tree falls down onto the character - snake



How does he feel?

Choose words from the Emotive Language word mat (or your own) - List them!

Snake feels in a **panic**, **terrified**, **vulnerable**,  
 .....<sup>why?</sup>(trapped can't help himself)  
**agony** .....<sup>why?</sup>(hurt)

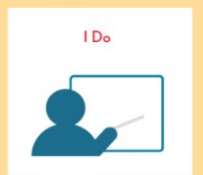


How does she feel?

Bird feels like she has some **freedom**,  
**courageous** .....<sup>why?</sup>(wants to help),  
**scared** .....<sup>why?</sup>(to get too close)



### Metacognition



(Teacher example)

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Choose a different problem:

[Large empty yellow box for writing a different problem]

Choose words from the Emotive Language word mat (or your own) - List them!



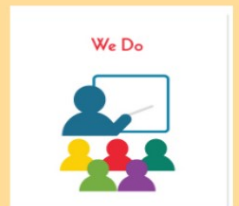
How does he feel?

[Five horizontal lines for listing words for the snake]



How does she feel?

[Five horizontal lines for listing words for the bird]



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Yellow box for writing the chosen problem.

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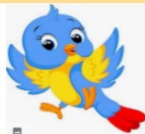
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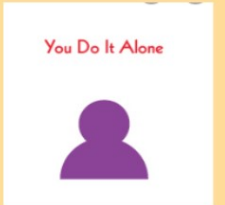
How does he feel?

Four horizontal lines for writing the snake's feelings.



How does she feel?

Four horizontal lines for writing the bird's feelings.



(Independent)

Write your own paragraph describing a problem which happens to one of your characters. Remember to include Emotive Language!

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How does he feel?

Choose words from the Emotive Language word mat (or your own) - List them!

Snake feels in a panic, terrified, vulnerable,  
<sup>why?</sup>... (trapped can't help himself)  
agony <sup>why?</sup> (hurt)



How does she feel?

Bird feels like she has some freedom,  
courageous <sup>why?</sup> (wants to help),  
scared <sup>why?</sup> (to get too close)