Skill Area(s): Feelings/Emotions Perspective Taking

## **Mirror Mirror What Face Do I See**

Level: beginner, intermediate, advanced

**Goal:** recognizing and making different facial expressions associated with emotions

<u>Materials needed</u>: digital camera, mirrors, Emotions and Facial Expressions handouts from Navigation the Social World – pgs 83 & 84(attached)

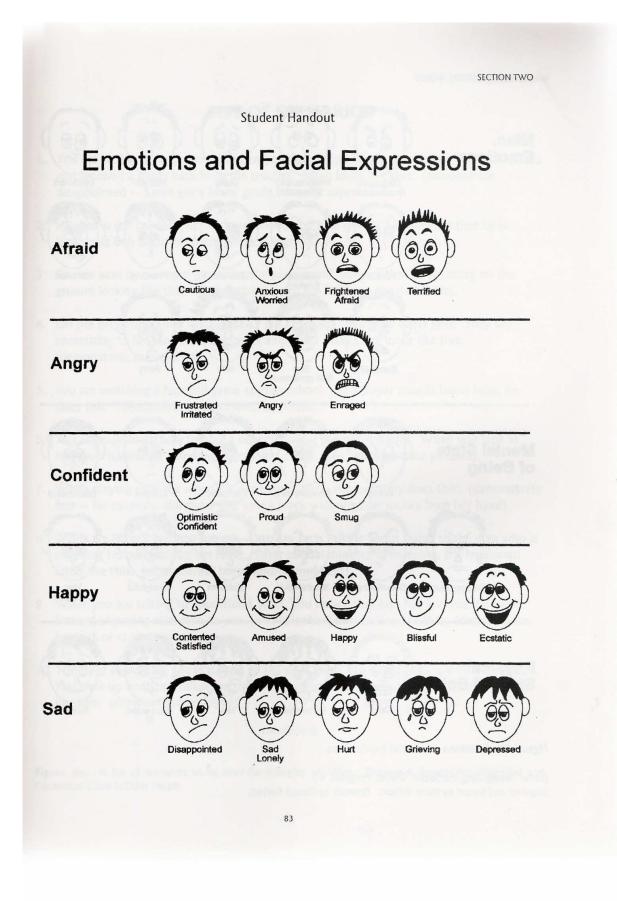
## Activity:

- Assign students to a partner
- Give each student a copy of the handouts and a mirror to use
- Discuss and model how the eyebrows, nose, eyes, mouth etc. change for different
- Go through each general emotion on the left side and have students make that expression in their mirror
- Tell students to look at the happy, sad and angry faces (these are the easier ones to start with) and have partner A choose a face in that row. Partner A uses the mirror and makes that face and partner B examines the facial features and guesses the emotion.
- Use the handouts as a resource for students to refer to when discussing emotions/feelings.
- Students could keep a copy in their desk

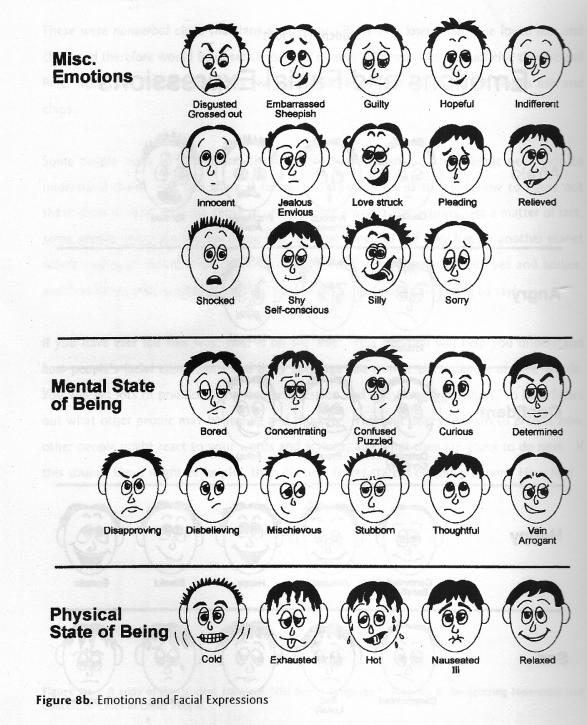
## **Follow up suggestions:**

See other Facial Expression activities:

• Facial Expressions 1, 2, 3



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