Individual Activity Lesson Plan (Body Parts/Music and Movements)



Date: Wednesday 29th April 2020

Activity Title: Mirror of Feelings

Learning Intention: To recognise facial expressions as well as understand and control their emotions so they can later express their own feelings.

Links to EYFS: To be able to express their own feelings such as sad, happy, cross, scared, worried - Personal, social, and emotional development- Managing feelings and behaviour – 22-36 months.

Activity Overview:

You will discuss different emotions and feelings with your child. They will pull faces in the mirror according to how they are feeling.

Resources:

- A mirror
- Pictures of different feelings faces attached to this document.

Key vocabulary:

Happy, sad, surprised, scared, feelings, mirror, look, pull a face, smile, grin, frown, shocked, reflection.

ACTIVITY IMPLEMENTATION (including key question)

Introduction:

Choose a mirror you are going to use, that is easy enough for your child to look into.

Talk about different emotions such as 'happy' and 'sad.'

- ❖ Ask your child to show different feeling faces whilst looking in the mirror.
- *Can you show me a happy face?
- *What do you think a surprised face looks like?
 - feel for example 'If you were playing with a toy car and one of your friends took it from you, how would you feel?'

Main Activity:

❖ Talk about different situations and ask your child how they would

Activity review:

Listen to this song below and copy the facial expressions of how the boys and girls are feeling. You can pause this song at any point throughout to discuss the different emotions. Below is a link for 'The feeling song'

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-J7HcVLsCrY

Additional ways to support your child:

- Role model expressions to your child so they can understand them better and try to imitate the faces you are pulling.
- Focus on happy and sad to start with.

Extension:

Talk about a wider variety of feelings such as cross, anxious, nervous, embarrassed, etc.

Please see attached sheet

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Happy



Sad



Excited



Shocked



Angry



Surprised