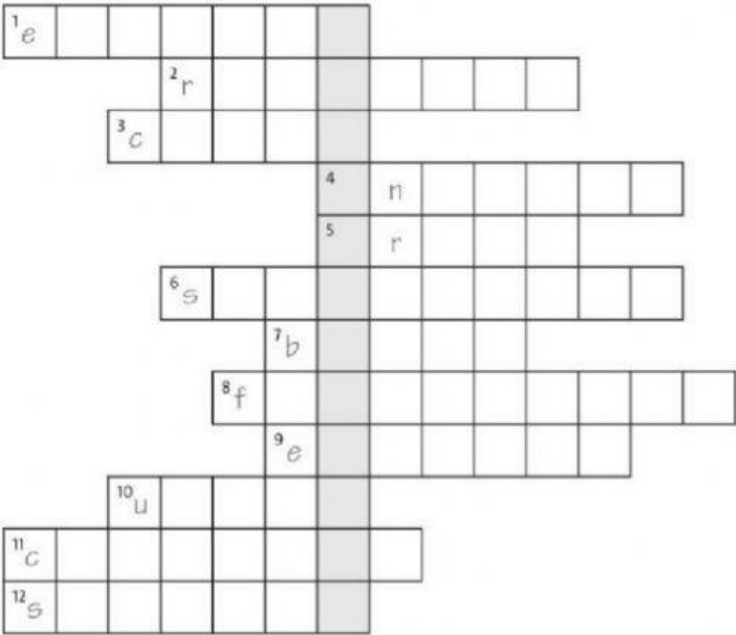


Adjectives and a Description of an Event (1E&1H)

Task 1

Look at the pictures and complete the puzzle with adjectives to describe feelings.



Task 2 What is the mystery (grey) word? _____

Adjectives that end with -ing mean that

Adjectives that end with -ed mean that

Task 3

Circle the correct forms to complete the sentences.

- 1 I don't like this film. It's **bored** / **boring**.
- 2 I don't find computer games very **excited** / **exciting**.
- 3 Don't be **frightened** / **frightening**. The dog won't bite.
- 4 I was **shocked** / **shocking** when I heard the news.
- 5 It's really **annoyed** / **annoying** when you interrupt.
- 6 Why are you looking so **worried** / **worrying**?

Task 4

Complete each pair of sentences with *-ed* and *-ing* adjectives formed from the verbs in brackets.

1 (confuse) a I don't understand this map. It's very _____.

b Can you help me with my maths? I'm _____.

2 (embarrass) a I was _____ when I fell over.

b I hate it when my dad dances. It's so _____ !

3 (tire) a That journey was very _____.

b I was _____ after a long day at school.

4 (interest) a Are you _____ in photography?

b Which is the most _____ lesson in this unit?

5 (disgust) a Yuck! This cheese smells _____ !

b She was _____ by his bad behaviour.

Task 5

Circle the correct adjective.

- 1 Playing volleyball is fun, but it's **tired** / **tiring**.
- 2 This new computer game is **amazed** / **amazing**!
- 3 I was **astonished** / **astonishing** that we won the dance competition.
- 4 'I fell off my chair in the middle of a lesson.' 'How **embarrassed** / **embarrassing**!'
- 5 My grandma's stories are always **interested** / **interesting**.
- 6 I read a **shocked** / **shocking** report about smoking.
- 7 I wasn't **surprised** / **surprising** that he was late.
- 8 I was so **annoyed** / **annoying** about your comment!

A LONG WAY HOME

Saroo was born in Madhya Pradesh in India. His family were very poor, so when Saroo was just five, he and his brother Guddu found work on trains as cleaners. One day the boys went to work at a station 70 km from home. The job was very

¹ _____ (tire) for Saroo and he fell asleep at the station.

He was so ² _____ (exhaust) that he slept for hours.

When he woke up, Guddu was not there. Saroo was

³ _____ (shock) and ⁴ _____ (worry). He looked

for his brother, but couldn't find him. It was a very

⁵ _____ (frighten) situation for a young child.

After two weeks, the police found Saroo, but he could not

tell them where his home was - he was too ⁶ _____

(confuse) and he didn't know its name. In the end, the police

decided he was officially lost and placed him with an adoption

agency. An Australian family called Brierley took him to their home in Tasmania and he grew up with them.

As an adult, Saroo Brierley stayed in Australia, but he looked for his home town in India using the photos on Google Earth on his computer. It took months, but Saroo never got
⁷ _____ (bore) with looking. In the end, he found the town. He was ⁸ _____ (delight) and travelled there at once. When he saw his mother again for the first time in 25 years, it was a very ⁹ _____ (move) experience for both of them. Newspapers and TV stations became ¹⁰ _____ (interest) in Saroo's ¹¹ _____ (astonish) story and Saroo himself wrote a book about it in 2012.

Task 7

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Teen Forums > General Chat > Pranks!

Monday 2nd 11:31 AM

Sarah_B

Moderator



Tell us about pranks you played on friends or family members!

Dave338



When I was about nine years old, I bought an enormous plastic spider from a joke shop. It looked very real and had really long legs. I couldn't wait to play a prank on my sister with it. One morning, I put it in the shower just before my big sister went into the bathroom. I waited outside the door. I heard a really loud scream and my sister ran out of the bathroom. I thought it was really funny, but for her it was a terrifying experience! When she found out that I put the spider there, she was really cross and chased me round the house. I feel bad about it now, because I didn't realise just how afraid of spiders my sister is. It took her ages to get over it because she was so shocked!

Kate44



Last February, I sent my brother a Valentine's card. He's quite shy and he didn't have a girlfriend. In the card, I wrote 'Be my Valentine! With love from ???' and I tried to disguise my handwriting. When he opened it, he looked carefully at the writing, and I thought for a moment he realised it was from me. But there was a girl in his class who he liked, and he thought the card was from her. He seemed really pleased about the card. In fact, he decided to ask her out, and now they're going out! Eventually, he mentioned the card to her and she said she didn't send it. He immediately suspected me, so I owned up. He was a bit cross, but he forgave me because of the happy ending.

Writing Strategy

When you write a description of an event, remember to say how you and other people felt at the time and how you all reacted to the events. This will make your anecdote come to life and engage the reader's interest.

Read the **Writing Strategy**. Match the adjectives below with people in the stories (A–D). Say when and why they felt that way.

amused angry (2 people) anxious
frightened guilty pleased (2 people)

- A Dave _____
B Dave's big sister _____
C Kate _____
D Kate's brother _____

Task 8

Read the Writing Strategy. Then complete the description using the adjectives below to describe the people's feelings.

guilty proud scared upset



Confession!

Joanne

I once bought a big plastic insect at a joke shop and put it inside my brother's lunch box in the morning. It looked disgusting! I told my friends about the prank – I was ¹_____ of it! My brother didn't say anything about it after school. In fact, he didn't mention it for ages. Then one morning I found the same insect in my bowl of cereal at breakfast. I wasn't ²_____ at all – it was funny. But when I asked him how he felt when he found it in his lunch box, he didn't smile. In fact he looked a bit ³_____. 'It was horrible,' he said. 'I screamed. Then everybody laughed at me.' When I heard that, I felt really ⁴_____. I don't play tricks on my brother now!