Lesson	Today I Feel Silly
Grade:	Grades K Elementary
Subject:	Identify feelings

Topic:	Students will learn to identify feelings and mood words; practice verbalizing how they feel	
Standards:	<ul> <li>ASCA: Personal/Social Development</li> <li>Standard A: Student will acquire the knowledge, attitudes and interpersonal skills to help them understand and respect self and others.</li> </ul>	
Materials:	<ul> <li>Book: <i>Today I Feel Silly</i>, by Jamie Lee Curtis</li> <li>Feelings sheet</li> </ul>	
Introduction:	<ul> <li>Ask students how they feel right now; how they felt getting up; at recess. Ask if they think people have more than one feeling in a day.</li> </ul>	
Development:	<ol> <li>Read <i>Today I Feel Silly</i>. Pause at each illustration and ask what they think the feeling is before reading the passage.</li> <li>After reading passage, ask if they have felt that way.</li> <li>Ask students about body language of girl in story.</li> <li>State different feelings; ask students to show you the feeling on their face.</li> <li>At the end, refer to emotions wheel on back of cover; take turns asking students their current feeling.\</li> </ol>	

Practice:	<ol> <li>Ask what feeling words we learned today.</li> <li>Practice drawing a feeling word on the feelings worksheet.</li> </ol>
Closing:	Review feeling words; ask if it's normal to have lots of different feelings in one day; remind them that if they have a bad feeling that they will probably have a good feeling again soon.
Source:	Adapted from lesson plan by Allie Daniels

