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After years of listening to you read stories aloud, your child is probably familiar with the way you interpret dialogue. But it can still take some practice for novice readers to get the hang of adding expression to their own voices. In this activity, your child will practice demonstrating the feelings of the characters in a story.

Instructions

1. Print page 3.
2. Point to the first character on the page (Daddy Moose) and explain to your child that in today's activity, he or she will pretend to be the characters in the story "Gabby Goose Saves the Day."
3. Encourage your child to practice saying each quote in the way that he or she imagines the character would say it, with full expression.
4. Continue until your child has read all the quotations.
5. If desired, you can continue the activity by asking your child to demonstrate different ways of saying the same quote. For example, your student could read Daddy Moose's quote in a loud, strong voice and then read the quote again using a high, squeaky voice. Or your student could read Mommy Moose's quote using a very sad voice instead of a happy voice.



Daddy Moose: "What a big, strong boy! He drank the whole bottle!"



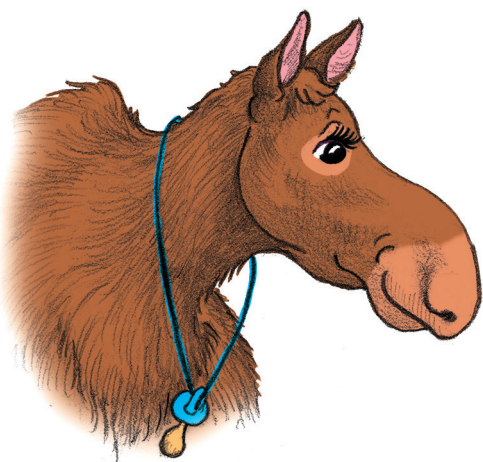
Daisy: "What do you think is the matter?"



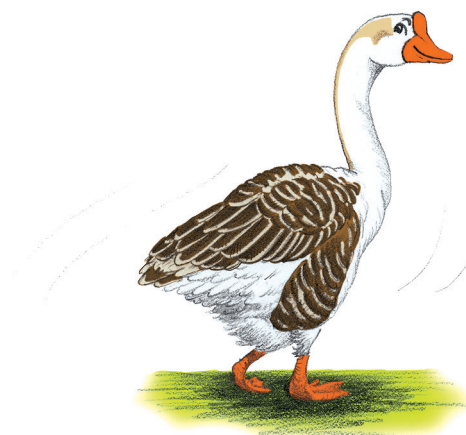
Baby Moose: "Wah! Wah! Wah!"



Jimmy: "Nice and dry!"



Mommy Moose: "Thank you so much, Gabby! You are a gem!"



Gabby Goose: "It was nothing. Anyone could have done it."



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