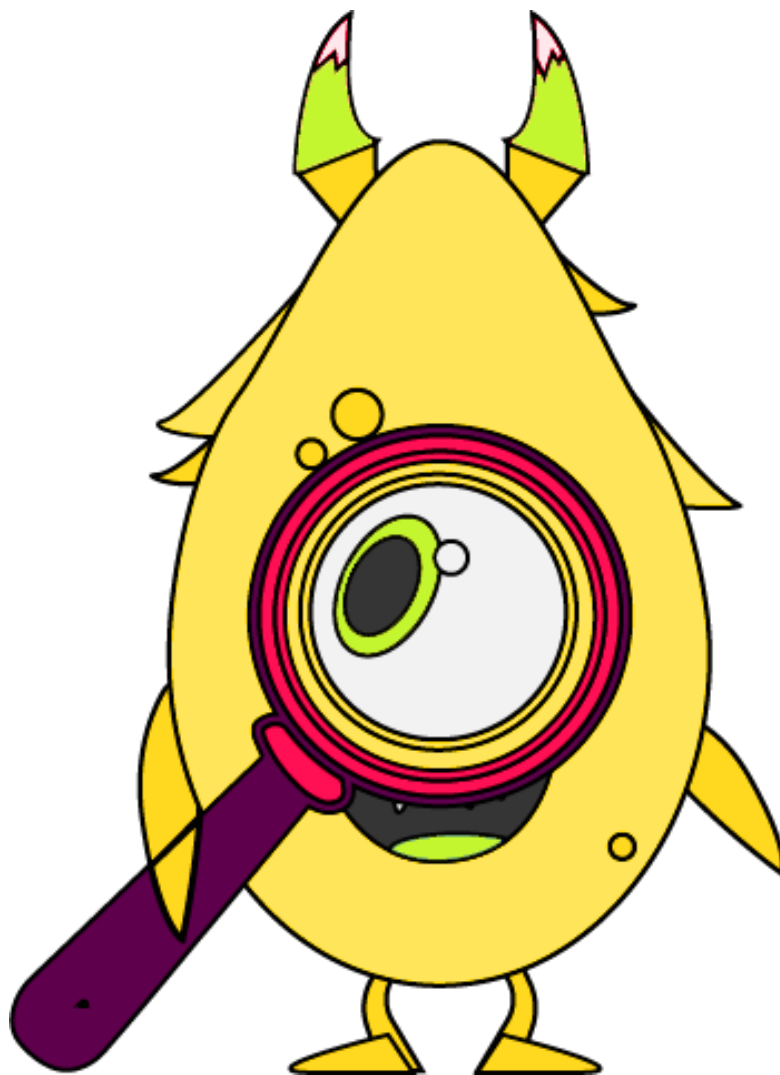


# Learning Intention

I am learning to identify or work out the mood, or way a story makes me feel.

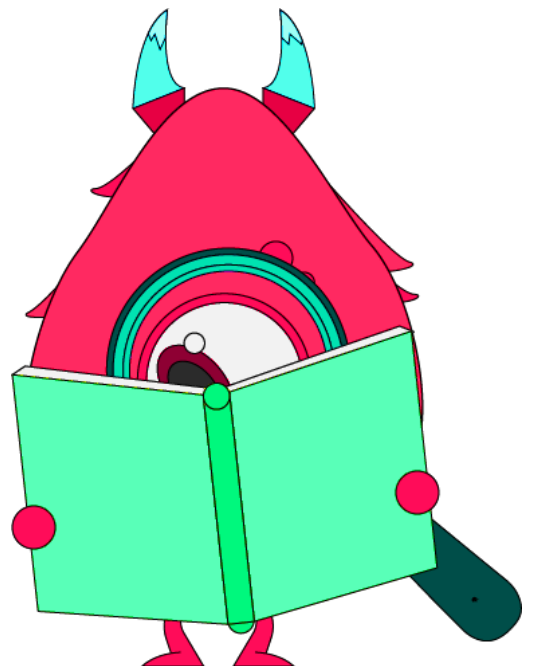


# Success Criteria

I will think about what the story is about and how the words or pictures make me feel. There are lots of moods. Some are:

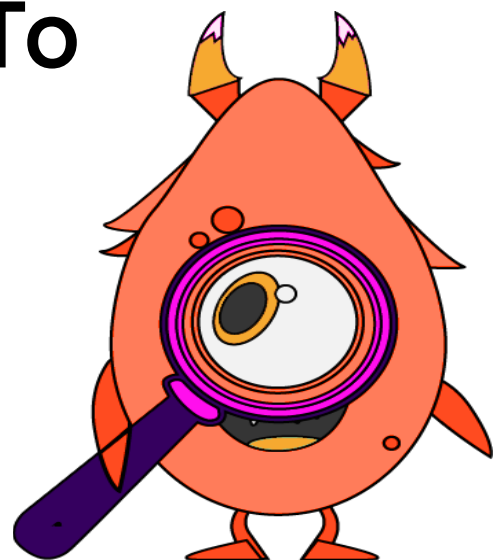
calm	excited	warm
scared	cheerful	stressed
sad	grumpy	happy
annoyed	frustrated	silly

I will discuss my idea and give reasons for my thinking.



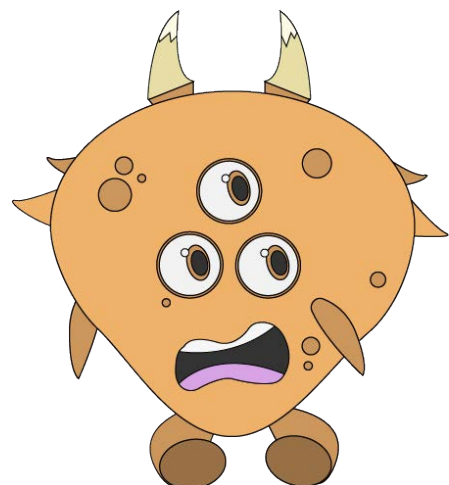
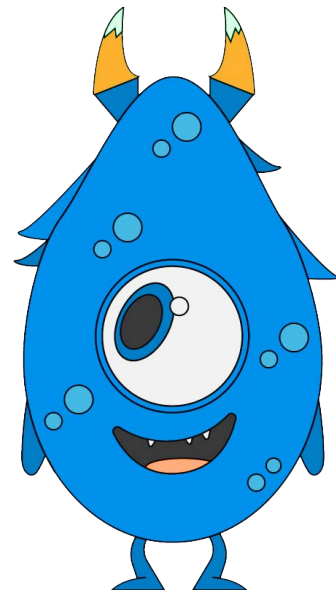
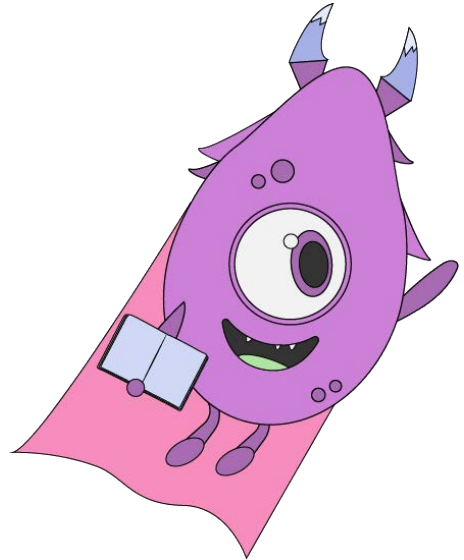
# Mood

The mood is the atmosphere, or tone. The author creates the mood by choosing words or pictures which give readers a feeling, like being excited about a ride or creeped out by a dark place. The way something is described creates the mood. Adjectives are important when creating the mood. To work out the mood, ask, “How does this make me feel?”



# Mood Words

- Cheerful
- Sad
- Thoughtful
- Gloomy
- Humorous
- Silly/Whimsical
- Romantic
- Mysterious
- Worrying
- Calm
- Light-hearted
- Hopeful
- Angry
- Fearful
- Tense
- Lonely



# Learning Checklist

Check these off as you go.

Did I:	✓
think of a word to describe the mood?	
give reasons for my answer?	
listen to other people's ideas?	

