COMPLETE STORY + QUIZ

Daisy's Two Feelings

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Daisy feels jealous when a friend wins a ribbon and learns she can feel disappointed and kind together.

Read, talk, and discover

The complete story is followed by questions and a separate answer guide. Read aloud together, pause to talk, and take your time.

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Part 1

Daisy the yellow duck and Pearl the white duck danced beside the pond. Both hoped to earn the blue ribbon.

Part 2

Pearl twirled slowly and kept the beat. The dance teacher gave Pearl the bright blue ribbon after the music.

Part 3

Daisy clapped, but her smile felt hard. A prickly jealous feeling said, "I wanted that ribbon for me."

Part 4

Daisy moved to a quiet bench and told the teacher, "I am happy for Pearl and disappointed for myself."

Part 5

The teacher said two feelings can sit together. Daisy breathed slowly and let both feelings have some room.

Part 6

Daisy returned and told Pearl, "Your slow twirl was beautiful. I worked hard on my wing taps today."

Part 7

Pearl thanked Daisy and invited her to dance again. They practiced slow twirls and steady wing taps side by side.

Part 8

Daisy's jealous feeling softened inside her. She could celebrate Pearl, notice her own growth, and keep practicing tomorrow.

Draw, tell, or write

Draw your favorite part of the story. Tell a grown-up what happened before it and what happened next.

My favorite part, and why I chose it

STORY QUIZ

Think about the story

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Name: _____ Date: _____

Read each question and all the choices. Circle one answer. A grown-up can read aloud; you can point or say your answer, too.

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1. Who received the blue ribbon?

A. Daisy	B. The teacher	C. Pearl

Tell someone how you decided, or write a few words.

2. What prickly feeling did Daisy notice?

A. Jealousy	B. Fear	C. Sleepiness

Tell someone how you decided, or write a few words.

3. What two feelings did Daisy name?

A. Mad and hungry	B. Happy for Pearl and disappointed for herself	C. Silly and tired

Tell someone how you decided, or write a few words.

Questions 4 to 5

4. What did Daisy praise about Pearl's dance?

A. Her loud splash	B. Her red boots	C. Her slow twirl

Tell someone how you decided, or write a few words.

5. What could Daisy do after jealousy softened?

A. Celebrate Pearl and keep practicing	B. Hide Pearl's ribbon	C. Stop dancing forever

Tell someone how you decided, or write a few words.

ANSWER GUIDE

For the grown-up

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Keep this page separate from the child's activity. Read directions aloud when helpful, and invite the child to explain their ideas.

1. C - Pearl

Pearl

2. A - Jealousy

Jealousy

3. B - Happy for Pearl and disappointed for herself

Happy for Pearl and disappointed for herself

4. C - Her slow twirl

Her slow twirl

5. A - Celebrate Pearl and keep practicing

Celebrate Pearl and keep practicing

Keep exploring

Draw your favorite part of the story. Tell a grown-up what happened before it and what happened next.