



Happy Faces Handout A30



Other faces I could draw for this activity:

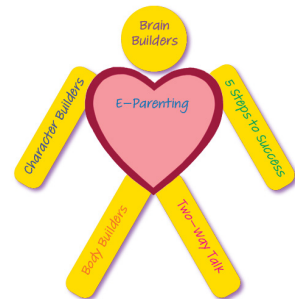
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Which Daily Do I want to focus on practicing:

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When will we do this activity:

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Which skills or concepts I want my infant to learn:

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How to do this activity:

1. Use **Ready for Play and Learning** to see if your baby is ready to play and learn. Remember to use **5 Steps to Success** as you help your infant explore their natural curiosity during the activity.
2. Place your baby on their back in front of you. Hide your face behind one of the plates you made and talk with your infant about the face on the plate. For instance, you might say something like: **This is my EXCITED face. I feel so EXCITED when I see you learn something new.**
3. Pop your face out from behind the plate to see how your baby responds with their sounds, body movements, and facial expressions. Talk with your infant about how you think they're feeling. For instance, you may say something like: **I'm back! And you're kicking your legs. You must be feeling CURIOUS about my EXCITED face.**