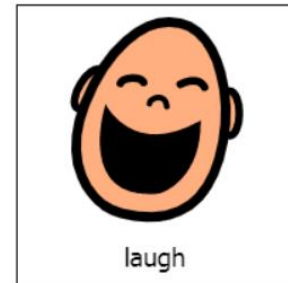
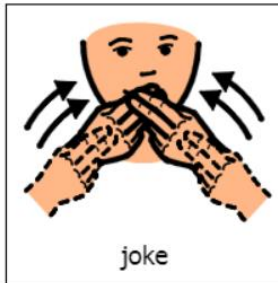


Follow up activity ideas for 'Jokes'



Baa baa smart sheep

You can watch the story again here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ufzX9j3AlgM>

Also read the original story By Mark Sommerset if you can find a copy in your library.

Read/Watch the Story together

Focus on interaction

Use these suggestions as points to talk about using your communication system. An adult can record the answers on the worksheet following the talk around each question.

(**Adults:** remember to use the communication device to model vocabulary)

Watch the story again if needed and talk about...

1. What's your favourite part of the story?
2. What are some other types of animals?
3. Joking makes me feel...
4. Would you like someone to play a joke on you? Why/Why not?

Joke theme activities and stories (great for talking about!)

The laughing Policeman – Have a listen and a laugh to this song! Practice your loudest and funniest laughs together! Find it here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h11nPd7hezM>

My Dad's Jokes are Very, Terribly, Awfully, Painfully Bad is a book with a lot of "Dad jokes" in it! A read aloud is here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KgoIVri0T0M> do you think the jokes are funny?

Joke time! – Choose your favourite jokes together using a joke book or google and start your day with a joke! This is a great thing to each day for a week – call it a "Joke week!"

Silly Space monsters jokes and riddles – this is a short joke book. Read it together and choose your favourite! https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tS4sh_9cwuM

Other activities

Funny faces:

Make a funny face on a camera or in a mirror. Choose your favourite one and teach everyone how to make the funny face!

Or

Have a contest with a buddy! Make the funniest faces you can! The person who makes their buddy laugh first wins!

Funniest Moments:

What is the funniest thing that has ever happened to you? Think of a funny joke, funny story or something that looks silly. Share your story or picture with others!

Silly Furry Friends:

Anyone who has a dog, or a cat knows that animals can be a great source of joy and laughter. Have a look at some funny animal pictures online and choose your favourites. Describe the photo to someone and then show them the photo to have a laugh together!

Silly fill in stories:

Write a short funny story together! All you need to do is choose some random silly words together (without reading the story). Add them into the story and read it together. How funny is your story?

Here are some links to some story templates:

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/games/funny-fill-in>

<https://www.education.com/slideshow/fill-funny-story/fill-funny-story-1/>