

# Writing Lesson

## OPINION WRITING

Objective: Draw, Dictate, or Write about things that make you feel grumpy, scared, sad, and excited!

Try doing this writing exercise after reading "The Grumpy Ladybug" by Eric Carle. The Ladybug in the story is very hungry and grumpy. It's a great story to open up a discussion about feelings!

### Materials Needed:

- Printed Worksheet
- Writing/coloring utensils

### Instructions:

Fill out the worksheet by selecting things that make the child feel the specific emotion. Take the time to talk about many things that might make someone feel a certain way. After they write down their reason, have them draw a picture to illustrate their sentence.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# I feel...

I feel grumpy when \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I feel scared when \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I feel sad when \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I feel excited when \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_