

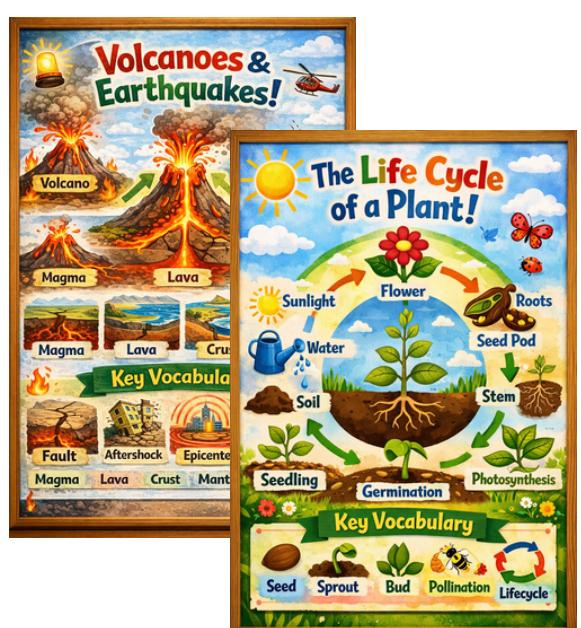
Communication Week

Day 4: Boosting vocabulary in the classroom

Boosting vocabulary helps children express themselves with confidence. Try fun strategies like vocab bingo, introducing a 'word of the week', and pre-teaching key terms to make learning engaging and effective.

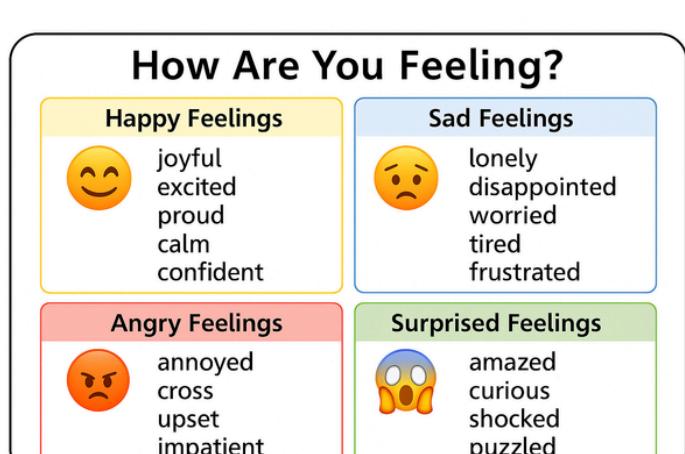
Pre-teach new vocabulary

Introduce new vocabulary in advance of teaching new topics, for example by using posters, displays or word mats.



Word mats

By having words readily available on a word mat, children are more likely to incorporate them into their writing or oral work, strengthening their expressive language skills.



Word of the week

Challenge pupils to include new words in their work throughout the week and link to a reward scheme.



Vocab bingo

Using flashcards, play as a team to make sentences that use all the words.



Consider booking onto one of our highly regarded ELKLAN courses to discover more strategies for teaching vocabulary.

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