

Language for Problem Solving



Speech Language Literacy Lab

Lesson Plan

Goal Addressed:

Student will increase his/her ability to problem solve situations with peers and adults using visual supports as demonstrated by identifying the problem, people involved in the problem, feelings resulting from the problem, and two different plans of action on 4/5 opportunities.

Materials Needed :

- Problem Graphic (attached)
 - Picture problem scenarios, written problem scenarios, or short narrative stories
- (Good resource: What's the Problem? Cards available on teacherspayteachers.com from Traci Bender)

Procedures:

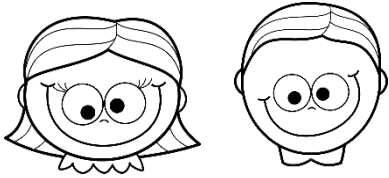
- Show a picture problem scenario or read a short problem (this also works with using narrative stories)
- Students practice answering the questions on the problem graphic
- Students summarize the entire scenario using the pictures

Note: Once a student can answer the questions using the written prompts, cut off the written prompts and just provide the pictures. Extension Lesson Idea: Target emotion vocabulary words

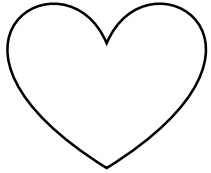




What is the problem?



Who is involved?



How does each person feel about the problem?



What does each person plan to do?



What else could they do?