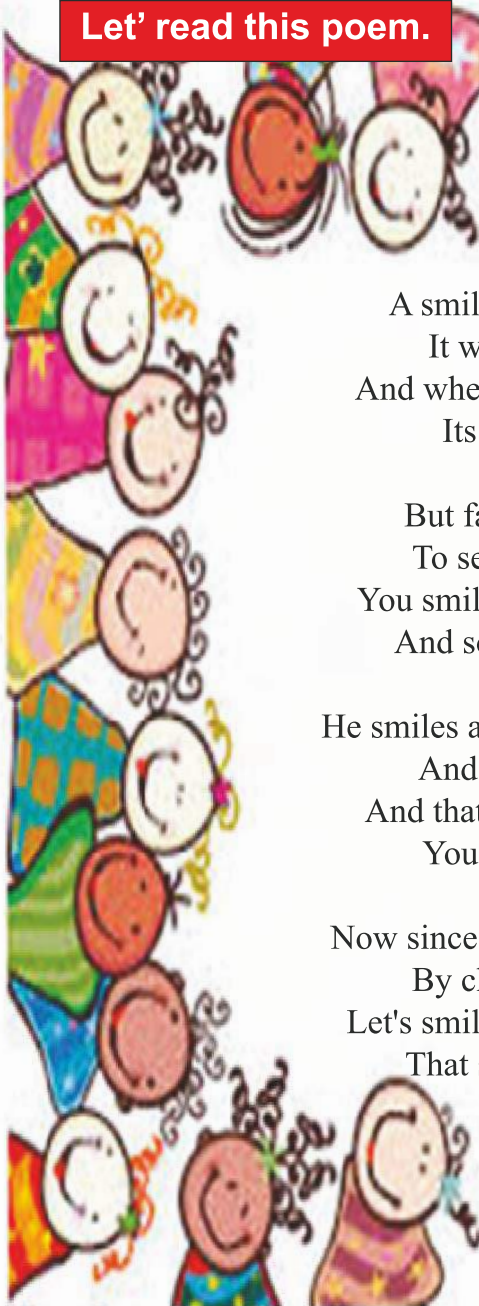


- How do you feel when you meet your friends and relatives?
- what expression do you see on the face of a person when he is happy?
- How does smile on the face affect people?

Let' read this poem.



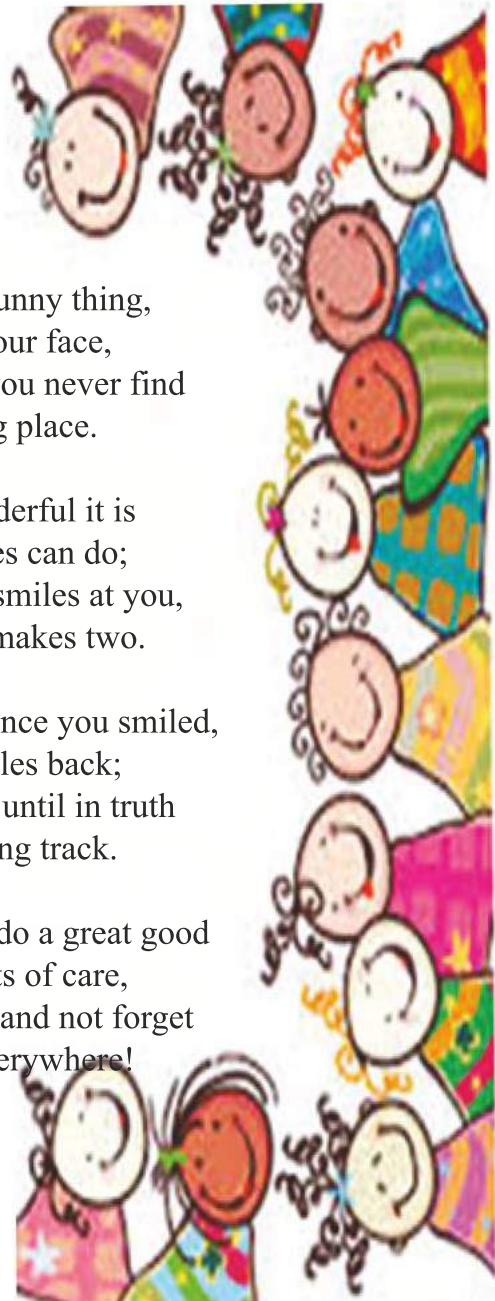
Smile

A smile is quite a funny thing,
It wrinkles up your face,
And when it's gone, you never find
Its secret hiding place.

But far more wonderful it is
To see what smiles can do;
You smile at one, he smiles at you,
And so one smile makes two.

He smiles at someone since you smiled,
And that one smiles back;
And that one smiles, until in truth
You fail in keeping track.

Now since a smile can do a great good
By cheering hearts of care,
Let's smile and smile, and not forget
That smiles go everywhere!



Glossary

funny	:	causing laughter
wrinkles	:	make or cause lines on the skin
secret	:	something hidden from others' knowledge
track	:	a natural path or rough road.
cheering	:	shouting for joy

Activity I

1. Choose the correct alternative:

- i. Smile is a.....thing.
 - a. cruel
 - b. bad
 - c. funny
 - d. angry()
- ii. When you smile your face is.....
 - a. wrinkled
 - b. faded
 - c. angered
 - d. joyous()
- iii. "When it's gone you never find."]
Where does the smile go?
 - a. school
 - b. a friend's house
 - c. playground
 - d. secret hiding place()
- iv. The line "And so one smile makes two." means.....
 - a. all keep quiet
 - b. never smile
 - c. always laugh
 - d. always smile()
- v. "Let's smile and smile, and not forget
That smiles go everywhere!"
The message here is.....
 - a. one should always laugh
 - b. one should never smile
 - b. one should forget everything
 - d. one should always keep smiling ()

2. Answer the following questions in 10-15 words each:

- i. Why is smile a funny thing?
- ii. Where does the smile go?
- iii. What happens when you smile at one person?

iv. How does smile do good to people?

Activity II

Smile is a personal affection.

Learn some words which relate smile as – rejoice, cry for joy, grin, giggle, chuckle, laugh, amuse, clap one's hands, etc. [Given below are some of the commonly used smileys]



Activity III

1. You come around many situations in your daily life which amuse you, make you laugh and smile. Think of any such incident which brought laughter and smile on your face. Create a collage that expresses this. You may draw and stick pictures and caption them to express your ideas. Divide your class into two groups, ask one group to complete the activity (collage) and put up the chart on your bulletin board. Ask the second group to write a story based on the creative work and to read aloud in the class.

2. Write a few sentences about the importance of smile in life.

Collage is a method of making pictures by sticking pieces of coloured papers, newspaper cuttings, etc.

Activity IV

Divide the class into two groups and read the poem aloud:

A plump little girl and a thin little bird,
Were out in the meadows together.
'How cold that poor little bird must be,
Without any clothes like mine,' said she,
'Although it is sunshiny weather.'
'A nice little girl is that,' said he,
'But, oh how cold she must be, for see!
She hasn't a single feather!'
So each shivered to think of the other poor thing,
Although it was sunshiny weather.

– Mary Mapes Dodge

*Use your smile to change the world,
don't let the world change your smile.*