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## Understanding Others

**Directions:** Read each scenario carefully. Choose the most empathetic response (A-D). Think about how you would feel in the same situation and what choice shows understanding and care for others.

1. During group work, Jordan forgets to bring the project materials. The rest of the group is frustrated because the presentation is due soon.
  - A. Ignore Jordan for the rest of the project.
  - B. Complain loudly so everyone knows who messed up.
  - C. Tell the teacher that Jordan shouldn't get credit.
  - D. Ask what happened and see how you can help fix the problem together.
2. Your classmate, Sara, is quiet after getting a bad grade on a test she studied hard for.
  - A. Tell her, "It's just a test. You'll get over it."
  - B. Say nothing and walk away.
  - C. Offer to study together next time and tell her you understand how disappointing it feels.
  - D. Joke that she should have studied more.
3. Marcus laughs nervously after tripping in the hallway. Some students nearby start laughing too.
  - A. Laugh along with everyone.
  - B. Help him up and check if he's okay before walking away.
  - C. Take a video of the moment to post online.
  - D. Tell everyone it was funny but harmless.
4. Your friend texts that they are having a bad day and don't want to talk.
  - A. Keep texting jokes until they respond.
  - B. Tell them to stop being dramatic.
  - C. Let them know you care and you'll be there when they're ready to talk.
  - D. Ignore them completely.
5. During lunch, you notice a new student sitting alone.
  - A. Invite them to join your group and ask about their day.
  - B. Wave but stay at your own table.
  - C. Sit with your friends and pretend not to see them.
  - D. Tell your friends that someone should talk to them later.