

## **Reading Faces**

**Directions:** Read each short story. Choose the letter (A-D) that shows the facial expression that best matches what the character is feeling.

- 1. Liam practiced his class speech all week. When he finished, everyone clapped and his teacher said she was proud of him.
  - A. Frowning with downcast eyes
  - B. Smiling with bright eyes
  - C. Mouth open in surprise
  - D. Yawning with tired eyes
- 2. Rosa's ice cream slipped off the cone and fell to the ground before she could take a single bite.
  - A. Eyes wide and mouth smiling
  - B. Eyes narrowed and teeth clenched
  - C. Frown with tears forming
  - D. Blank, calm expression
- 3. Eli's little sister used his favorite markers without asking, and all the caps were missing.
  - A. Jaw tight with eyebrows furrowed
  - B. Wide smile and clapping hands
  - C. Eyes closed and laughing
  - D. Open mouth in shock
- 4. Naomi's friends planned a surprise birthday party for her after school.
  - A. Mouth open, eyes bright, and eyebrows raised
  - B. Frown with eyes looking down
  - C. Tight lips and angry eyes
  - D. Yawning with no expression
- 5. Jalen's soccer team lost the final game after weeks of hard practice.
  - A. Smiling proudly
  - B. Cheeks red and eyes watering
  - C. Laughing with open mouth
  - D. Lips trembling and head down

