

THE VENUS WORRY-TRAP

Once the seed of a worry is planted it can easily grow into a big anxiety. Look at all the words you've been feeding the worry plant.

Are any of them 100% true?

Imagine that this Venus
flytrap has grown from
one of your worries.
The more you think about
what's making you feel nervous,
what's making you feel nervous,
the quicker and bigger the
tworry-trap plant will grow.

Write down things you can think or do to change what you're feeding the plant. The worry-plant doesn't like positive thoughts!

WEED Killer 100% Effective!

Write the name of your worry on the pot, then add some worry words or sentences around the plant that might have made it grow bigger.

Next time you feel anxious, try to replace your worry thoughts with positive ones.

ANXIETY ON THE OUTSIDE

Look through the worry word search. When anxiety is pushing its way in, do you get any of these feelings?

DIZZY RACING HEART SICK
TEARFUL SWEATY HEADACHE
TIGHT THROAT FAINT WEAK

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When people think about being nervous or anxious, they often think about it as an emotion that's in your head, but anxiety can often be felt in your body.

On the picture below make notes or drawings on the parts of the body where you feel anxiety.

How do you think noticing your anxious feelings when they begin might help you?

WORRY FEELINGS

Being worried can produce different kinds of feelings. It can make you angry or shouty or sad, or want to go somewhere quiet on your own.

All these people are showing different emotions because they are worried Write down what they might be thinking about.

I'm worried about	I wish I could stop thinking about						
	You're not my friend any more.						
I'm feeling sad because		l'm sad about					
	Go away!						

It helps if you think about how people around you are feeling too. Everyone has worries of their own that they might not tell you about, even grown ups.

WORRY MONKEYS

The worry monkeys are frightened about something. Search and find each worry monkey, then help them to have fun by colouring them in so you can see where they all are.

THE WORRY JAR

Ask a friend or someone in your family what they worry about. Together, fill up this worry jar with your worries. The lid is on to stop the worries being able to get out again.

Write or draw your worries on this jar.

If you're not ready to share your worries, you can do this on your own or help someone else with their worries.

LAUGHTER IS GOOD FOR THE SOUL

DRAW OR WRITE SOMETHING THAT MAKES YOU LAUGH.