

These empathy paper strips can be printed, cut out, and even laminated for a variety of fun activities that help young learners explore and talk about empathy. Here are a few ways to use the empathy paper strips:

As wearable charms:

Empathy charms are a fun way to explore feelings. Have children wear a charm and discuss feelings in pairs or small groups. Use the charms as a way to help students identify feelings and empathize with the person wearing the charm.

As a classroom display:

After the color-feeling associations have been introduced through an activity, these charms can also be fastened into a paper chain or poster and displayed in the classroom. Use your feelings display as a reference throughout the remainder of the year when talking about feelings during group discussions, in reference to characters' feelings during read-alouds, and more.



Step 1:

Pick a feeling, and then cut and hole punch empathy charm.



Step 2:

Thread through string to assemble bracelet or necklace.



Step 3:

Wear and reflect with peers, and then assemble empathy chain.















