



Worksheet 1

A Laugh a Day

Replacing Verbs

Verbs are **doing words**. Rewrite the following sentences from the story. Replace the verbs in bold with one from the box that has a similar meaning.

(You may need the dictionary to help you with some words!)

reddened felt scowled strutted shook growled giggled tousled

1. Tim's mother **ruffled** his hair.

2. Tim's lip **trembled** as he nodded.

3. At recess, Brad and Jamie **swaggered** towards Tim.

4. The other children **sensed** something was about to happen.

5. A few children **sniggered**.

6. "Don't be funny!" **snarled** Brad.

7. Tim **flushed**.

8. "Okay smartie, why?" **sneered** Brad.
