# Happy Charms

An engaging series where children can explore the world and develop their social emotional skills along with Sophia, Erick, and their cute friend Zing!

Happy Charms will allow children to develop a positive attitude towards English, through contact with everyday situations. Language is organized within a spiral-based, functional syllabus that provides constant recycling.





## STRUCTURE

*Happy Charms* is divided into nine units, one five-page *Welcome unit* and eight seven-page topic-based units. Each page provides input materials for a 50-minute class.

Each unit offers a variety of activities that take students from exposure, through presentation and practice, to production. Students develop skills, practice language and vocabulary, and consolidate their understanding of the texts and social purposes.

Each of the topic-based units contains six sections:

- 1. The *Look* section introduces vocabulary with a song and a related TPR activity and then, with a comic, it provides a model for oral production through controlled language practice.
- 2. The *Say* section introduces the pronunciation focus of the unit and practices the vocabulary using a set of stickers included at the back of the book.
- 3. The *Relate* section is directly related to the corresponding informative text in the **Big Book** and reviews the language point.
- 4. The *Explore* section helps students with the use of numbers and counting. It also provides a model for developing pre-writing skills.
- 5. The *Review* section provides students with the opportunity to review and reinforce the language learned in the unit.
- 6. The *Do it!* section consolidates language and vocabulary from the unit through a manual activity.

A **Picture Dictionary** is provided at the back of the book to support students comprehension of new vocabulary.

With *Happy Charms* your students will learn and enjoy every single moment of your class!



## **BENEFITS**

INCREASES SELF CONFIDENCE AND FACILITATES THE EXPRESSION OF IDEAS, THOUGHTS, AND FEELINGS

Transformation (print + digital)

**Zing**, an enchanting and colorful

IMPROVES LANGUAGE WHILE DEVELOPING PRELITERACY AND CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS

TAKES STUDENTS FROM THE PREPRODUCTION TO THE SPEECH EMERGENCE STAGES OF LANGUAGE LEARNING

ENCOURAGES CURIOSITY AND CREATIVITY

## **RESOURCES**

#### FOR TEACHERS

- Teacher's Guide with assessment instructions and answers at the back of the book.
- Class CD with complete recordings of the stories, informative texts, songs, and listening activities in the Student's Book.
- Big Book with colorful, engaging stories that offer a variety of genres and non-fiction texts.

- *Happy Charms* presents a social-emotional learning skill in each story, which is then developed throughout the unit in a variety of activities
- All the activities that are included in this series will help students to develop language skills using a systematic and integrated approach.

Students observe and explore new language in meaningful
 contexts, and practice it in purposeful, age-appropriate activities.

With the help of Zing, you will be able to create a safe and friendly learning environment.



### FOR STUDENTS

- Student's Book (print + digital) with a Picture Dictionary and Stickers.
- Activity Pad that offers two pages of additional activities per unit.

### DIGITAL

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Full access to the virtual learning environment for students and teachers.
Digital books compatible with interactive whiteboards
Additional interactive activities
Animated stories with audio
Downloadable Teacher's Resources, Teacher's Guides and customizable

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