Emoticons

When we are writing to people using e-mail, they cannot hear the tone of voice we are using, or see our face or body language. Because of this, people have started typing symbols to express their moods. These symbols are called emoticons.

joking, happy or smiling	:-)
sad or frowning	:-(
winking	;-)
yelling	:-0
laughing	:-D
mad	~:-(

Emoticon Match

Cut out the words on the next page and paste them next to the emoticon below that means the same thing.

:-) _____

:-O _____

:-D _____

:-(_____

;-) _____

~:-(_____

Emoticon Match

happy or smiling

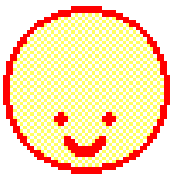
sad or frowning

winking

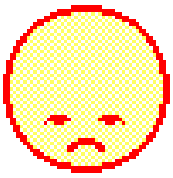
yelling

laughing

mad



happy or smiling



sad or frowning

winking

yelling

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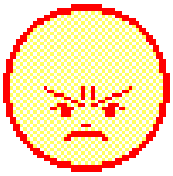


mad

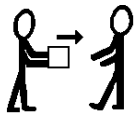
Acronyms

Acronyms are abbreviations formed by using the initial letters of each word in a phrase. Using acronyms can make typing e-mails faster and easier. Here is a list of acronyms people use most.

Grin	G
As Soon As Possible	ASAP
By The Way	BTW
See You Later	CUL8R
Got To Go	G2G
Laughing Out Loud	LOL
See You Soon	SYS
Ta Ta For Now	TTFN

Safe Surfing

1. Never give out your last name, address,



phone number, school name or other personal

information.

2. Never agree to go see someone you've met

on the computer.