## Mindfulness in the Classroom Yawnsy's Blissful Body Scan







#### **CASEL Standards:**

SELF-AWARENESS: The abilities to understand one's own emotions, thoughts, and values and how they influence behavior across contexts. This includes capacities to recognize one's strengths and limitations with a well-grounded sense of confidence and purpose.

#### **Academic Standards:**

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.K.8 CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.W.1.8

With guidance and support from adults, recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question.

#### CCSS.FLA-LITERACY.W.2.8

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#### **Objective:**

Use self-awareness to connect thoughts with emotions and actions.

#### **Essential Questions:**

How can I recognize my thoughts and calm down before I get too upset?

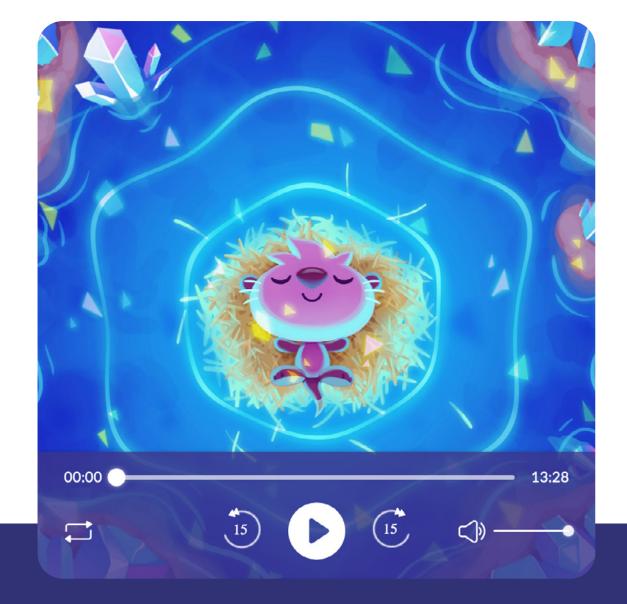
#### I Can:

I can recognize my thoughts and calm down before I get too upset.



### Yawnsy's Blissful Body Scan

Now we will listen to a meditation called 'Yawnsy's Blissful body scan'. Click on the picture to begin listening:



http://moshisleep.com/play/Yawnsys\_Blissful\_Body\_Scan



#### **Before You Listen**

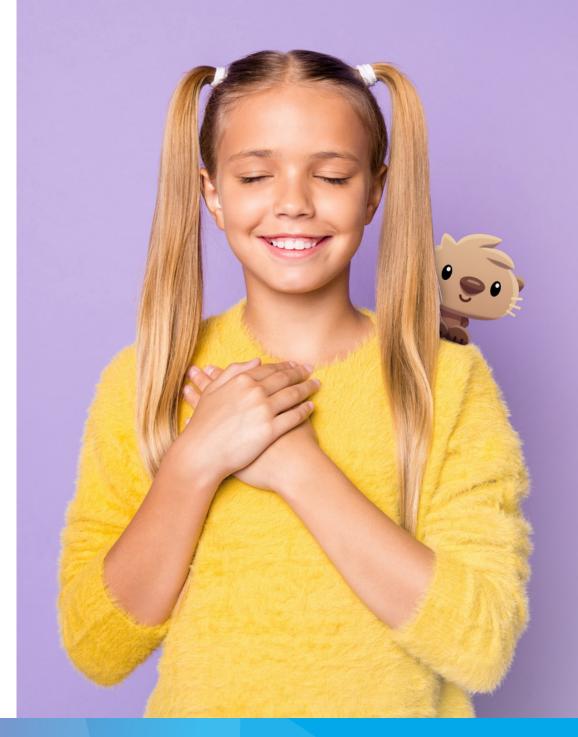
Today we will meet Yawnsy, a Sleepwalking Otter from Snufflepeak Creek who does a body scan to relax.

The purpose of a body scan is to tune in to your body. That means learning to reconnect to your physical self. Body scans help us notice any sensations we are feeling without deciding if they are good or bad.

Yawnsy snuggled into his bed of reeds and did a body scan. He takes a moment to feel and listen to his body. Settle in, take some deep breaths and focus on today's meditation with Yawnsy.

#### **After You Listen**

- How does your body feel after wiggling, scrunching, and relaxing?
- Were there any areas of your body that had a hard time relaxing?
- How can you use this technique at school?
- When could you use this technique at home?





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