



Everyone experiences emotion, it is normal.

When we are distressed it can feel like out brain has been hijacked, we cannot think straight and the distress feels very intense.

The emotion can be overwhelming and we struggle to manage the emotion and respond well to the situation.

Every emotion carries an urge to act. Next time you feel an emotion, name it first and then decide what to do with it before acting on it.

Emotion	Thoughts	Body reactions	Behaviours
	Unfair	Fight	Fight Run Argue
ANGRY AND UPSET			Shout
	Danger	Run	Avoid Run
ANXIOUS AND WORRIED	Hopeless	Withdraw	Do less
			Cry Isolate Think about sad things
SAD			