## **Emotion Coaching**

Supporting your Child's Wellbeing

5 steps to supporting children to effectively deal with their emotions

- 1 Be aware of your child's emotions
- Listen, acknowledge and validate the feelings

"You are feeling angry because your little brother has broken your toy."

Labelling the emotion naturally decreases the intensity of the emotion being felt.

"Name it to tame it"

See emotionally challenging moments as a learning opportunity

reframe the situation

Problem solve and set appropriate limits on behaviour