Story

Poppy woke up one morning feeling very poorly. She tried to call for her mummy, but no sound came out and it hurt a lot. Poppy had a very sore throat.
How do you think Poppy is feeling? Why does she feel this way?

Poppy slowly climbed out of bed and found mummy downstairs making breakfast in the kitchen. "Good morning Poppy, did you sleep well?" mummy asked. Poppy began to cry. "Oh no, Poppy," said mummy. "Whatever's the matter?"
How do you think mummy is feeling? Why does she feel this way?

Mummy decided that Poppy must go to see the doctor and rang to book an appointment. Twenty minutes later, Poppy and mummy were in the car and on their way. When they arrived at the doctor's surgery, Dr. Brown called Poppy into her treatment room. "Good morning, Poppy. What can I do for you today?" Poppy looked up at the smiling face of Dr. Brown and began to cry again.
How do you think Poppy is feeling now? Why?

"Oh dear me," said Dr. Brown. She looked in Poppy's mouth and deeper at her throat. "I see what the problem is," smiled Dr. Brown. "Here you go mummy, collect this medicine for Poppy and give it to her three times a day." Dr. Brown turned back to look at Poppy. With a kind smile and a gentle touch on Poppy's chin, she says, "Don't worry, Poppy, this medicine will make you better very soon… and it tastes of strawberries!"
How do you think Poppy is feeling now? Why?

As mummy and Poppy arrived back home, Yin, Poppy's best friend was waiting for them. "How is she?" Yin asked mummy. "Poppy needs a lot of rest in her warm, comfy bed and this medicine will help make her feel better," mummy replied. "Would you like to help me to look after her?"
How do you think Yin felt when she saw poorly Poppy sat up in bed? Why?

Yin helped mummy carry drinks and ice cream up to Poppy, who was tucked up snuggly in bed.
How do you think Poppy is feeling now? Why?

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