

3rd Grade Guidebook Julian Tells Stories Lesson 4

TEXT: **The Bee Tree** Book _by Patricia Polacco

“ ‘So you don’t feel like reading, eh? Feel like running, do you?’ Then I expect this is just the right time to find a bee tree!’ he said, taking down his lucky hat. ‘What’s a bee tree, Grampa?’ Mary Ellen asked. ‘Well... it’s where the bees make their home. It’s where they keep the honey... the sweetest in the land!’ Grampa chirped excitedly.”

ACTIVITY

What does this quotation tell us about how Grampa feels? What does it tell us about Grampa’s personality?

TEACHER NOTES

- Read the quotation on the slide
- Then ask students the question on the slide
- Instruct students to discuss their answers with their partners
- Hold a brief discussion where students share their answers and evidence with the class
- Instruct students to fill in one feeling box for Grampa with paraphrased evidence to support and one trait box for Grampa with paraphrased evidence to support

GRAMPA

Feelings	
Traits	