

Week Beginning 27th April – Down on the Farm

This week our focus is farm animals. Where can we find out about farm animals?



Adults, can you help your child use a computer, tablet or phone to find some pictures of farm animals? (use Google or a similar search engine).



Choose one of the animals you have found out about and draw and colour or paint a picture of it.



Can you find out some facts about your animal?

What does it eat?

What do we get from this animal?

What is its baby called?

What sound does this animal begin with?

Ask an adult to help you find the information, then tell another family member what you know.



Play a game of 'Animal Guess Who?' Adults, you could describe a farm animal to your child and see how quickly they can guess what it is! For example: It has four legs, it lives in a field, it has a woolly coat, it makes the sound 'baa'. When the children are more confident, they could have a go at describing whilst you guess.

If you have a farm set at home, you could put out some of the animals to give the children an extra clue!



Sing 'Old MacDonald had a Farm'. See how many different animals you can think of to sing about – can you make a noise and do an action for each animal?



If you have playdough, you could create some playdough animals for a farm. Remember to squeeze, roll, pat and pinch your dough – this is great for exercising the finger muscles to get them ready for writing!
How many of each animal can you make?