



## Home Learning – Spring Term 1 - 2021

### Baby Animals – Week w/c 25<sup>th</sup> January 2021

While Cuckoo Meadow Pre-School is temporarily closed during this second lockdown, once again we will be sharing some ideas and activities which you can do with your children at home. These will be regularly updated on the website and our private Facebook page. You can do as much or as little as you like, there are no expectations!

If you need any resources or do not have access to a printer, please do let us know.

Thank you for sharing all your lovely activities you did over the last two weeks for our winter animal's theme. Enjoy this week's theme and we look forward to seeing you on Facebook and Tapestry very soon!

### Home learning suggestions

#### Show and Tell

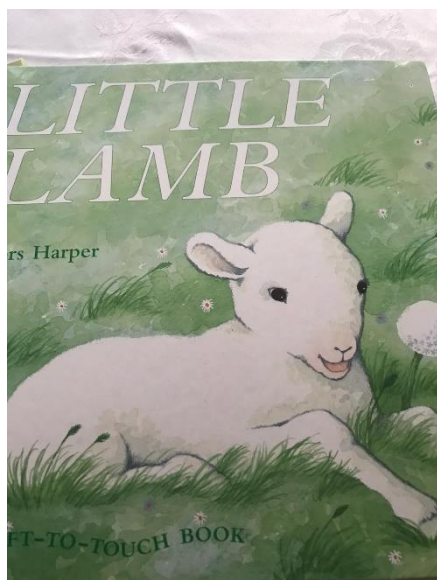
Join us on our private Facebook page for show and tell!  
This week's letter and sound is Q.

I wonder what Mrs Cotterell will find this week? Can you find things which are the **same**, or **different** even or **similar** around your house and maybe in the garden on your walks?

Do share with us on Facebook and Tapestry what you have found, we really love seeing all the amazing things you are finding!

#### Story time

Join us for story time on our private Facebook page.



This week's story is about 'Little Lamb.' Little lamb likes to play hide and seek with all the other lambs, he goes to the edge of the field and sees another field beyond with different animals!

## Suggested activities



Create a simple little chick either using some paper or card and working on those scissor skills or use a fork and some paint!

Make a lamb – use cotton wool or even cut up little bits of paper which can be glued on - great for fine motor skills!



Or some finger print lambs!

Footprint puppies!! - A sensory activity, a little bit messy but lots of fun – enjoy the tickly feeling on the bottom of your feet and toes!



Let's use up those toilet roll holders by creating some baby farm animals!



**Matching activity** - Animals and their young matching cards

**Cutting activity** - Animals and their young - The animals have lost their babies! Can you cut out the mother and baby animals, match them up and stick them on the farm?

**Pencil control** - Animals and their young matching sheets – join each animal to its baby

**Colouring** – Baby animal colouring sheets

**Pencil control** - Farm animals and their babies picture matching activity

**Matching activity** – Beautiful images of jungle animals and their young to support learning about unusual animals and their babies

**Cutting, matching and sticking activity** - Mothers and their young – cut out the baby animal pictures and match and stick them next to their mummies!

**Matching activity on the farm** – Lovely images of farm animals to match

**Colouring** – mummy giraffe and her calf colouring sheet

**What can you see?** – baby animals hide and seek PowerPoint activity

**Animals and their young families** – Explore and talk about some stunning images of animals with their young

**CBeebies Andy's Baby Animals** - Join Andy as he explores how baby animals learn skills such as climbing, swimming and getting around.

**Music and movement** – The baby animal song!

**Baby animals** – a little video to learn all about baby animal names and their sounds



## **Further activities**

If you fancy doing something different, or haven't quite completed previous activities, then do take a look at the links on the home-learning page of our website, there are lots of other suggestions.

<https://cuckoomeadow.org/home-learning/>

Thank you so much for sharing all the activities you have completed on Facebook and Tapestry; you have been busy!

Thank you and enjoy this week's activities.

Kat Andrews