

Middle Country Public Library





Animal Friends

Suggested Supplementary Activities

Sing-A-Long Songs

Farm Animals

(Can be sung to the tune of "London Bridge is Falling Down")

Animals live on a farm, on a farm, on a farm.

Animals live on a farm, with a farmer.

Cows and pigs live on a farm, on a farm, on a farm.

Cows and pigs live on a farm, with the farmer.

Goats and sheep live on a farm, on a farm, on a farm.

Goats and sheep live on a farm, with the farmer.

Hens and chicks live on a farm, on a farm, on a farm.

Hens and chicks live on a farm, with the farmer.







An Elephant Goes Like This and That

An elephant goes like this and that (stomp feet)

He's terribly big (raise arms over head)
And he's terribly fat (stretch arms to side)

He has no fingers (wiggle fingers)

And he has no toes (wiggle feet)

But, goodness gracious WHAT A NOSE!!

(Make a pretend trunk with arms)

My Rabbit

My rabbit has two big ears, (hold up two fingers to make ears) And a funny little nose.

(join all fingers together into a pointy nose)

He likes to nibble carrots,
(make nibbling motions with fingers)
And he hops wherever he goes.
(make hopping movement with entire hand)



Craft

Handprint Tiger Craft:

Items Needed:

- Orange Construction Paper
- White Construction Paper
- Black Marker
- Hand to trace
- Scissors
- Tape or Glue



1. Directions:

- 2. Trace your child's hand on the orange piece of construction paper.
- 3.Cut out the outline of the hand.
- 4. Face the cut out hand so the fingers are facing the bottom and draw tiger marks on the cutout hand with the black marker or crayon.
- 5.Cut a small circle using the orange paper for the tiger face and two smaller circles for the ears.
- 6.Cut a smaller oval in white paper for the mouth.
- 7.Glue the small oval onto the larger orange circle.
- 8. Add the tiger face and mouth. Don't forget more tiger stripes!
- 9. Add a black dot to each ear and glue a ear to each side of your tiger face
- 10. Cute a tail out of the orange paper and add some tiger stripes
- 11. Attach the tail to the back of the tiger.
- 12. Enjoy your handprint tiger craft!

Craft

Handprint Tiger Craft:

Items Needed:

- Construction paper
- White Paint
- Black construction paper or marker
- Fork
- Glue (Optional)
- Scissor (Optional)



Directions:

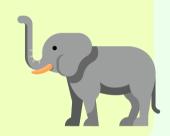
- 1. Place white paint in a shallow dish. A paper plate works fine for this.
- 2. Take a fork and dip it into the white paint.
- 3. Place the fork with paint onto the center of the paper and drag the fork down to the edges. (This will give the line look).
- 4. Continue this step until you have a circle shape. Let the paint dry.
- 5.Cut out two eyes, two ears and a nose in black paper and tape or glue them to the dried white paint.
- 6. If you want to use markers instead of paper for the face, you can draw in the nose, ears and eyes. Just make sure the paint is dry first.
- 7. You now have the cutest panda craft.
- 8.Enjoy!!



Extra Enrichments



Watch the Nat Geo Kids
Mission: Elephants video to
learn more about these amazing
animals and how you can help
them. Scan the QR code to
watch.





Scan the QR code to go to the
National Geographic Kids
Website. There are videos,
games, and more information on
many different animals.



