

Baby Chick Paper Plate

Content Area

Science: Life Processes

Mathematics: Number and Number Sense

Fine Motor: Manipulative Movement

Literacy: Vocabulary

Objective

The student will be able to:

- Identify adult animals and offspring

Materials

- 2 white paper plates
- Feet template
- Orange construction paper
- Crayons
- Staplers
- Tape
- Book about baby animals such as *Who Grows Up on the Farm* by Theresa Longenecker

Background Knowledge

Introduce the term for baby and adult animals. Discuss the names of babies and adults.

Calf	Cow
Chick	Chicken
Lamb	Sheep
Foal	Horse
Kid	Goat
Piglet	Pig

Specify the difference between the look of a chick and a chicken.

Procedure

1. Color the paper plates yellow.
2. Cut one plate in $\frac{1}{2}$. Use $\frac{1}{2}$ to form a chick head.
3. Cut the other $\frac{1}{2}$ plate in two again to form $\frac{1}{4}$ pieces. These will form the wings.
4. Cut out the feet from the template page and color orange.
5. Cut a small triangle from the scrap template page to form a beak.
6. Using the second plate as the body, staple or tape the head and wings onto the plate.
See picture below.
7. Attach legs and beak with staples or tape.
8. Draw eyes on chick face with crayon.



Extension

Use paper plates to create other animal faces.



Chick Feet Template

