



Old Macdonald Mother and Baby

Animal Card Match

INSTRUCTIONS

A card game for the young ones. Print off the card templates below and either laminate them or stick them onto some cardboard like a cereal box before cutting them out. There are then a variety of games you can play with your child. Here are a couple of suggestions to start you off.

- For the younger children place one of each card face up on the table and then help your child to match up the baby with their mother. You can then carry on the game after the animals have been paired up by either asking your child what animal noise each makes or by yourself making the noise and getting them to point out the right animal.
- You can play snap with the cards either by pairing up the mother and babies or by printing off two lots of each card and using them as pairs. The cards are shuffled up and then dealt facedown to the two players in turn. The aim of the game is then to get a matching pair. Each player takes turn putting their card face up in the centre of the table beside the other player's card. When the two cards match the first person to shout snap is the winner of all the cards on the table and then the game proceeds. The winner is the first person to win all the cards.



Sheepdog



Puppy



Donkey



Foal



Cow



Calf



Goat



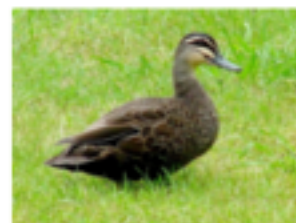
Kid



Chicken



Chick



Duck



Duckling



Pig



Piglet



Foal



Horse



Lamb



Sheep



Cat



Kitten

