



**Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>**

## **Music and Movement**

Bounce Patrol--[Old McDonald Had a Farm](#)  
Super Simple Songs--[Five Little Ducks](#)

## **Phonological Awareness**

**HENS AND CHICKS:** Family fun! Tell your child to be the “Mama Hen.” As the Mama Hen hides her eyes, choose another family member to be the “chick.” Give the “chick” a small object that makes a “peeping” sound – a dog’s squeaking toy, for example. Instruct the “chick” to hide the object in her lap as she makes it squeak; all the other family members place their hands in their laps as well. Play begins as the “Mama Hen” searches for her chick, following the sound of the peeping. As your child becomes more proficient, add more squeakers. Now Mama Hen must find several chicks!

## **Literacy**

Read aloud by Teresa Bateman.  
Talk to your child about what people do to stay germ free.  
To extend this activity, listen to the book, [Barnyard Song](#),  
and have your child create a get-well card for one of the animals in the story.  
If your family knows someone who is sick, you could work together to create a card for that person.

## **Science**

Watch the video, [Farm Babies](#), with your child and discuss the names of the baby farm animals.  
To extend this activity, say the name of a baby animal and ask your child to name the mother animal’s name. Share these facts about farm animals with your child:  
Pigs—The father is a boar, the mother is a sow, and the baby is a piglet.  
Sheep—The father is a ram, the mother is a ewe, and the baby is a lamb.  
Cattle—The father is a bull, the mother is a cow, and the baby is a calf.

## **Math**

Ask your child to draw three things he may find on a farm. Have him draw one more and ask how many he has now. Continue asking him to draw one more, stopping each time one is added to count. Challenge him to write the number to show how many each time one more drawing is added.

Post pictures of you and your child learning together using #gaprekathome

Use the following link to access Georgia’s Pre-K @ home learning ideas:

<http://www.decal.ga.gov/PreK/WelcomeToGAPreKAtHome.aspx>