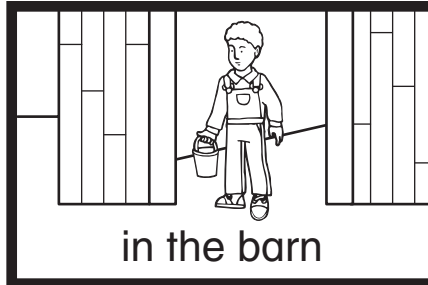
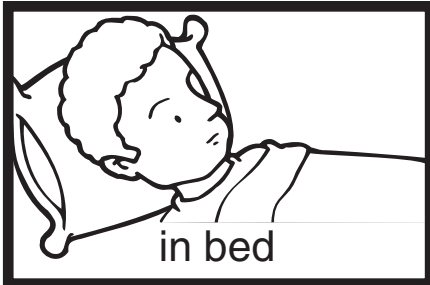


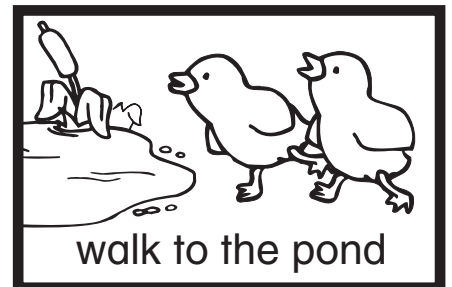
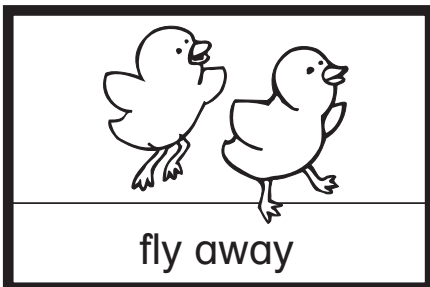
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 Color the picture that correctly finishes the sentence.

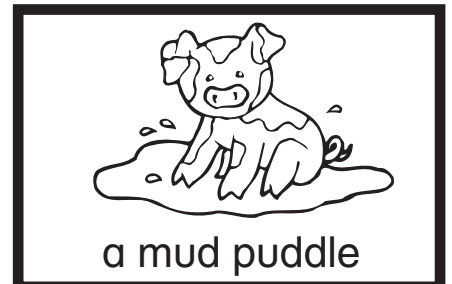
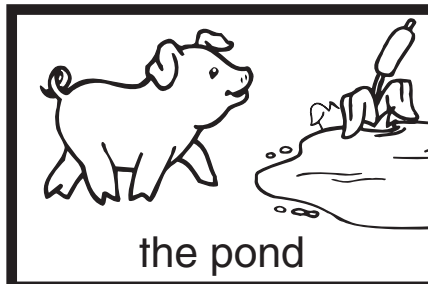
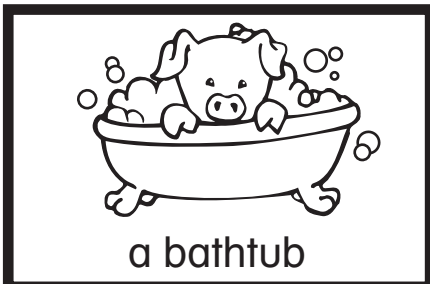
1. When the farmer hears the animals, he is...



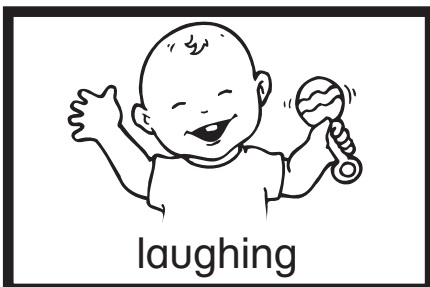
2. Mother Hen calls her chicks to...



3. Mother Pig gives her piglets a bath in...



4. The farmer's baby wakes up...



Bonus Box: On the back of this page, draw and color what you think will happen when the farmer wakes up the next morning.





Story Summary

Barnyard Lullaby by Frank Asch

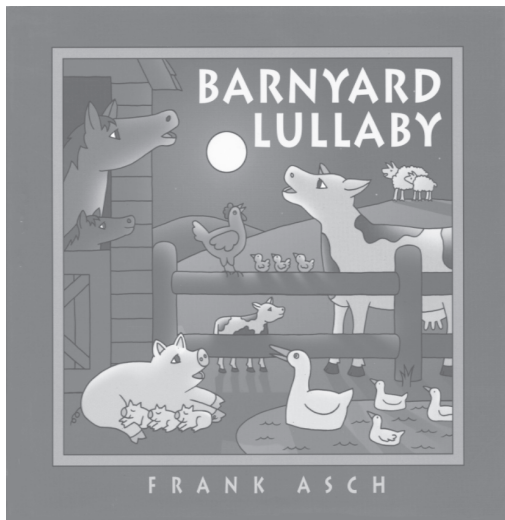
“Cluck, cluck, clucking” and “moo, moo, mooing” are beautiful lullabies to the baby animals on the farm. But to the farmer the animal sounds are just noises that keep him awake at night. One night the farmer has had enough of all the noise and yells at the animals. The farmer’s loud voice awakens his baby. Then the farmer’s wife sings a lullaby to help both the baby and the farmer go to sleep. Meanwhile, the barnyard animals think the lullaby they hear coming from the farmhouse is just noise.



How to Use Page 3

“Barnyard Banter”

After reading the book to youngsters, ask them to help retell the story as you review the illustrations. Read aloud each sentence starter and ask each child to color the picture that correctly completes the sentence. Then ask her to draw a picture on the back of the page of what she thinks will happen when the farmer wakes up the next morning.



Answer Key



1. in bed
2. go under her wing
3. a mud puddle
4. crying

