

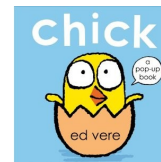
Bunnies & Chicks — Baby Storytime Take Home Sheet

Great Books to Check Out:



Little White Rabbit by Kevin Henkes
Bunny and Me by Adele Greenspun
Bunny Fun by Sarah Weeks
Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown

Big Fat Hen by Keith Baker
This Little Chick by John Lawrence
Chick by Ed Vere
Cock-A-Moo-Moo by Juliet Dallas-Conte



Help Your Child Get Ready to Read by increasing their vocabulary:

Reading together introduces your child to words that they may not hear in everyday conversation.

As your child gets older check out Informational and non-fiction books as well. Non-story books offer even more vocabulary. Explore non-fiction books about chicks and bunnies such as: *Bunnies* by Grace Elora or the See How They Grow: Chicks and See How They Grow: Bunnies by Dorling Kindersley.



Fingerplays & Songs:

Little Bunny

There was a little bunny who lived in the wood. (hold up two fingers)
He wiggled his ears as a good bunny should (wiggle on head)
He hopped by a squirrel. He hopped by a tree. (hop, hop)
He hopped by a duck. And he hopped by me. (hop, hop over fist)
He stared at the squirrel. He stared at the tree. (stare, stare)
He stared at the duck. But he made faces at me! (stare, make faces)

I Saw a Little Rabbit

I saw a little rabbit go hop, hop, hop (bounce baby three times on your lap)
I saw his ears go flop, flop, flop (touch ears three times)
I saw his eyes go wink, wink, wink (touch eyes three times)
I saw his nose go twink, twink, twink (touch nose three times)
I said "Little rabbit, won't you stay?" (hug baby)
He looked at me and hopped away. (bounce baby as you say "hopped away")



Did You Ever See a Bunny?

(To the tune of "Did You Ever See a Lassie?")

Did you ever see a bunny,
A bunny, a bunny?
Did you ever see a bunny
That hops up and down?
He hops on his right foot,
And hops on his left foot.
Did you ever see a bunny
That hops up and down?

Additional Verses:

...that nibbles his food?
He nibbles on carrots
And nibbles on lettuce...

...that wiggles her ears?
She wiggles them forward
And wiggles them backward...

Activity to Do at Home:

Baby animals are often called something different than the adult animal. Cut out the following pictures. As you match the adult and baby animal, say the name to your child. This will increase his/her vocabulary.



Hen



Chick



Rabbit



Sheep



Lamb



Bunny



Cat



Kitten



Cow



Dog



Puppy



Calf