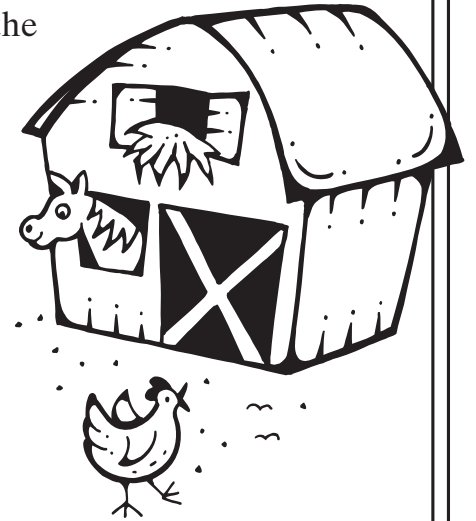


Dear Family,

This week _____ will learn about the country. Using the topic “Country Life,” we will read stories about rural areas and farms, and what it is like to live there. You can help your child learn more by talking with her/him about the things he/she is doing at school and the new letters and words that he/she is learning. Here are some ways that you can work with your child at home.



Think & Talk

What kinds of animals live on farms?
What sounds do these animals make?
Why do you like (horses) so much?

Home Activities



Country Poster

Collect *Cc* from newspaper and magazine headlines with your child. Write *Country* on drawing paper. Find pictures of farm animals whose names begin with *c*, such as cows. Help your child glue the animal pictures and letters *Cc* on the drawing paper to make a poster.

Country Books

Your child will listen to a story titled “The Billy Goat in the Garden.” Ask him/her to tell about the naughty billy goat. Read other books about farm animals with your child.

What I Learned

Here is a note from your child and her/his teacher.