



# Farmyard Families

Play a simple Pairs game with very young players then, as your child grows in confidence, match parents to babies in this first matching and posting game.

## Contents

- 1 3D barn
- 10 blue backed parent cards
- 10 red backed parent cards
- 10 yellow backed baby cards

## GAME ONE: using the BLUE and RED backed cards

### FOR VERY YOUNG PLAYERS

Spread all the **blue and red backed** parent cards, **face up**, on the table.



### To play

Find two cards that look the same.



Oink oink!

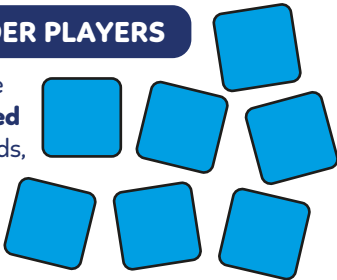
Post the matching pair into the barn and make the noise of the animal.



Continue playing until all the animals have been posted into the barn.

### FOR OLDER PLAYERS

Spread the **blue backed** parent cards, **face down** on the table.



Deal the **red backed** parent cards, **face up**, to all players.



### 1 Pick a card

The youngest player starts.



Turn over a face down parent card.

### 2 Make a match



If the card **matches** one of your face up parent cards, make the noise of the animal and post both cards into the barn.

Play passes to the next player.

### 3 No match

If the card **does not match** any of your face up cards, show the card to the other players and return it face down to the table.



Play passes to the next player.

### 4 The winner

The winner is the first player to post all their cards into the barn.



## GAME TWO: using the BLUE and YELLOW backed cards

### FOR VERY YOUNG PLAYERS

Spread the blue backed parent and yellow backed baby cards, **face up**, on the table and play as GAME ONE for young players. Find the Farmyard Families by matching parent to baby.

### FOR OLDER PLAYERS

Spread the **blue backed** parent cards, **face down**, on the table and deal the **yellow backed** baby cards, **face up**, to all the players. Play as GAME ONE for older players, matching parent to baby to find the Farmyard Families.

### NOTE:

Both games for older players can be played until all players have posted their cards into the barn.

### EMPTYING THE BARN

To empty the barn, gently open the barn roof on the side with the bird's nest and tip the posted cards out. Replace the roof ready for your next game of **Farmyard Families!**