

The Pinecone Birdfeeder

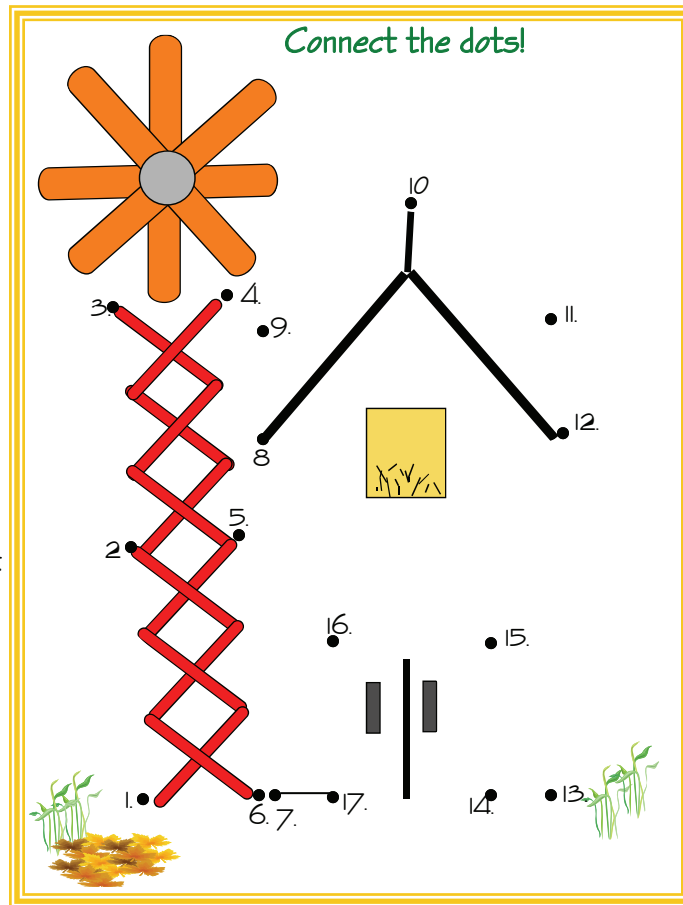
Birds are amazing animals. Here is a cool and fun way to make your very own birdfeeder to attract these animals to your backyard.

What you need.

1. A parent to help you
 2. One large pinecone
 3. One jar of peanut butter
 4. One bag of birdseed
- 3-inch piece of ribbon or string

Directions:

With a spoon or by using your hands, cover your large pinecone with peanut butter. Make sure that you completely coat your pinecone; putting the peanut butter on nice and thick. Pour your birdseed onto a flat surface. (You can pour into cookie-sheet or on a flat piece of newspaper) Next, take your peanut butter covered pinecone and roll it through the birdseed. Make sure that every inch of the peanut butter is covered in birdseed. Finally, tie the ribbon or string around the top of the pinecone, making a loop. The loop will provide you with a way to hang your pinecone-birdfeeder. Once you have finished, hang your feeder from a limb of a tree or a bush. Within days, you will find birds feasting on your homemade birdfeeder. Have fun and good luck!



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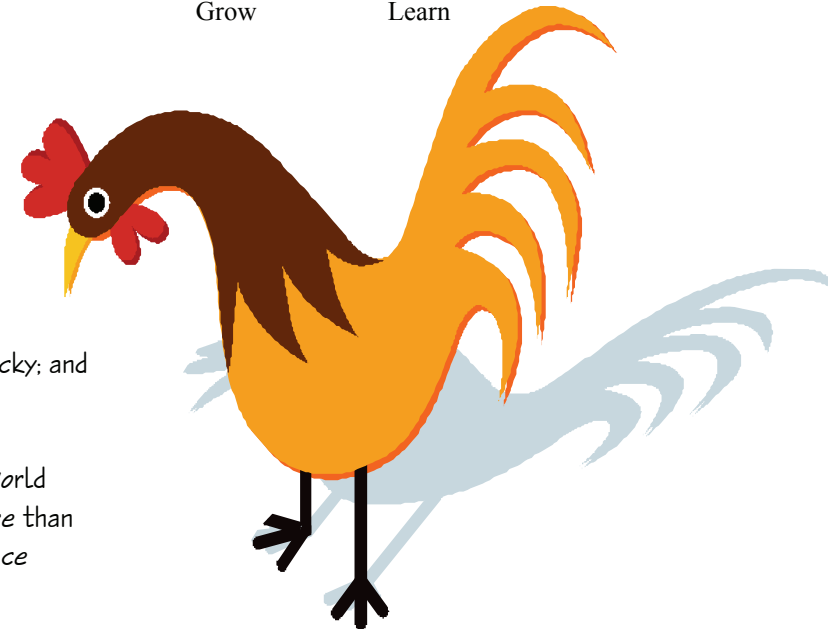
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Can you find the following words?

Animals	Grains	Bug
Cows	MOO	Goose
Plows	Yield	Sty
Grow	Learn	

FACTS!

- There are four places in the United State with the word "chicken" in their name: Chicken, Alaska; Chicken Bristle; in Illinois and Kentucky; and Chicken Town, Pennsylvania.
- There are more chickens in the world than any other domesticated bird; more than one chicken for every human on the face of this earth.
- Did you know that some breeds of chickens can lay colored eggs? Sure enough, the Ameraucana and Araucana can lay eggs colored in shades of green or blue, depending on the breed and it's ancestry.



Q. Why did the horse cross the road? A. Because the chicken needed a day off.

Q. Why did the dinosaur cross the road? A. Because chickens hadn't evolved yet.

Q. Why did the Roman chicken cross the road? A. She was afraid someone would Caesar!

Q. Why did the cow cross the road? A. To get to the udder side!

Q. Why did the chicken cross the road halfway? A. She wanted to lay it on the line.

Color by Number!

To the right you will see Farmer John who owns Timmons' Farm. Farmer John is a colorful character, but needs your help to make him really sand-out. You will need 8 colors to color Farmer John's picture.

To the left you will find 8 colors and 7 of those colors are numbered; one is not. In the picture of Farmer John, you will see numbers in special areas of the picture. Using your crayons or color pencils, color the numbered area the same color as the numbered color-boxes to the left. All of the un-numbered spaces are wheat, and they should be colored gold.



Have fun adding color back to Farmer John's picture.

All wheat should be this color



Here is a color example of Farmer John's picture.



True or False

More foods are made with wheat than any other grain. (True or False)

True

Q. Why did the rubber chicken cross the road? A. She wanted to stretch her legs.

Q. What do you get when a chicken lays an egg on top of a barn? A. An egg roll!

Knock knock.

Who's there? Chicken.

Chicken who?

Chick-en your pocket. Maybe your keys are there.

Q. Why did the cow cross the road? A. To get to the udder side!

Q. Why did the rooster cross the road? A. To cockadoodle dooo something.