



Big English Plus

Level 1

Parent Letter

UNIT 6

Dear parents, guardians,

Welcome to **Unit 6** of **Big English Plus 1**.

In this unit, 'On the farm', children will find out about animals. Through the use of communication, songs and games, reading, listening and speaking activities, physical activities and creating things, your children will have the chance to learn:

Vocabulary:

Cat, chicken, cow, dog, duck, frog, goat, horse, sheep, turtle; drinking, eating, flying, jumping, running, sleeping; Be kind to animals, Is that your..., Look over here!, Look over there!, Oh, no!; calf, chick, kitten, puppy

Language:

Using present continuous (doing); asking questions with 'What'.

Phonics:

'r', 'h' and 'j'

Content:

To identify baby farm animals

Values:

Being kind to animals

Culture:

Pets around the world

Project:

To make a 'Baby Animals' poster

Life skills:

Communication, collaboration, creativity and critical thinking. 'Bigger picture' thinking.

How can you help your child?

You can help reinforce this learning by encouraging children to draw pictures of an animal and learn the sound they make.

You can further support and help your child by:

- Listening to the new songs and chants (including the karaoke versions) on the CD-ROM.
- Doing the activities and games with your child on the CD-ROM.
- Helping your child complete all the activities on MyEnglishLab online
- Helping your child do the activities on the Big English word app.
- Praising your child's unit project: A 'Baby Animals' poster'

Encourage your child to enjoy English and take time to show pride in his or her accomplishments. After all, your child is special.

Yours sincerely,