

THE FARM

Hi ! Let's see if you know what kind of animal I am. Good guess ! I'm a kid. My mother is the goat and my father is the he-goat. Our home is the farm and many animals live here.

Today, our mom and dad take us for a walk to see our neighbours. Come with us ! I'll introduce them to you. They are our cousins, the sheep. They usually live at the sheepfold where there is a lot of grass and fresh air.

Jesus, they make so much noise ! They're upset because they must have their fur cut. People need their fur to knit sweaters and warm socks. I think they look better with this hairstyle !

Take a look at that ! Two lambs ran away from the barber's and found a foster mother.

What about these beauties ? They are Holstein cows and they are enjoying the sun. Let's get into their house, the stable.

Some of us like candies, others like the salt. When they are fed up with salt, they eat their special meal, the fodder.

Who are these guys that are fighting all the time ? That's right, they are turkeys. They'd better go check on the hatching hen. The real ones.

This is also a hatching hen, but a modern one.
All it needs is electric power to keep the eggs warm. A few weeks later, the chicken get out of the egg.

Welcome to the chicken kindergarten ! The small ones have just hatched. Let's see which are the goslings and which are the ducklings. It's really difficult to recognize them. With them, it's all clear. They are chickens. These aren't all the poultry in our farm. They are just the most quiet. Let's hear how they're bargaining.

I'm a motley duck and I was a blonde in my youth !

Even though I'm old, I'm small and my name is the dwarf rooster.

I'm far more interesting than the regular rooster, aren't I ?

In vain you're boasting ! I'm the most beautiful because I'm a goose !

No more fighting ! No poultry is more beautiful than a Dutch hen.
I'm so attractive...

Oh, really ? What about me ? What could be more interesting than a golden pheasant?

A peacock, for instance ! I've got a train, a crown,

I'm the king of the birds.

And I am the queen ! I'm a Maria Stuart dove and I'm extremely proud of my collar !

Girls, that's enough ! You are beautiful, but too vain ! This is not a beauty pageant ! This is a farm where all the animals must live in peace and understanding. My mom taught me that we are equal and live in a real family.

Kids, I hope you liked our walk and you'll come back to our farm.

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Durations : 4'

Music : CD – production SONOTON- SCD 151 (1) and (8)

Track : Baa baa black sheep / composer : Geoff Baston
/dur:1'

M.C.chicken / composer :Geoff Boston /dur :1'

CD –production ARCADIA – COS 264 (14) and(17)

Track : Toad-pond / composer :Silvia Sommer /dur : 1'

Track :Chicken run /composer : Oswald Ron /dur:1'