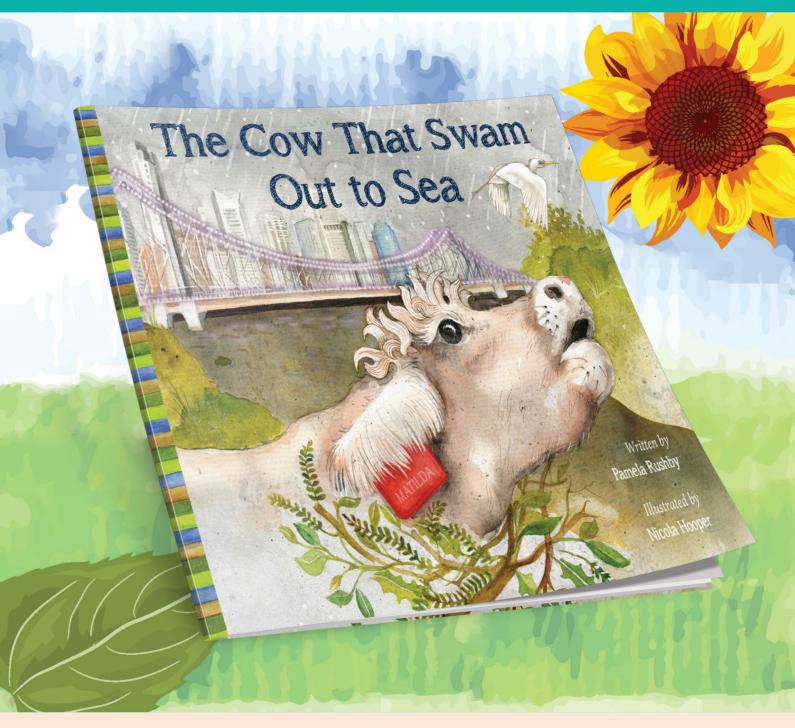


## TAKE HOME ACTIVITY PACK





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#### **ABOUT TALES AND TRAILS**

Follow the Trail, Read a Tale, Have an Adventure!

Enjoy reading outdoors with your family. Look for the numbered signs as you follow the path around your local park.

Run your fingers along the panels to discover the touch reading technique of Braille.

This trail features *The Cow That Swam Out to Sea* written by Pamela Rushby and illustrated by Nicola Hooper. Discover and learn about the incredible true story of a cow's journey down the Brisbane River and how she came to find a new home.

Tales and Trails is proudly supported by Ipswich City Council.

Visit the Queens Park Environmental Education Centre or any branch of Ipswich Libraries to collect your Nature Play Passport and Take Home Activity Pack.

The Cow That Swam Out to Sea



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#### **ABOUT FIRST 5 FOREVER**

In the first five years, little moments make a big difference. Children learn best from those closest to them – and by talking, reading, singing and playing together every day, families support their child's brain development and help them build a lifelong love of learning and discovery.

#### ABOUT STORIES FOR LITTLE QUEENSLANDERS

State Library of Queensland has published 12 children's picture books for Queensland's littlest readers as part of First 5 Forever. Produced exclusively for State Library of Queensland and First 5 Forever, this series reflects the diversity of Queensland, celebrates the uniqueness of our state, and aims to inspire a love of reading and discovery in a new generation of little Queenslanders. The books also showcase writers and artists with a Queensland connection who are based throughout the state.







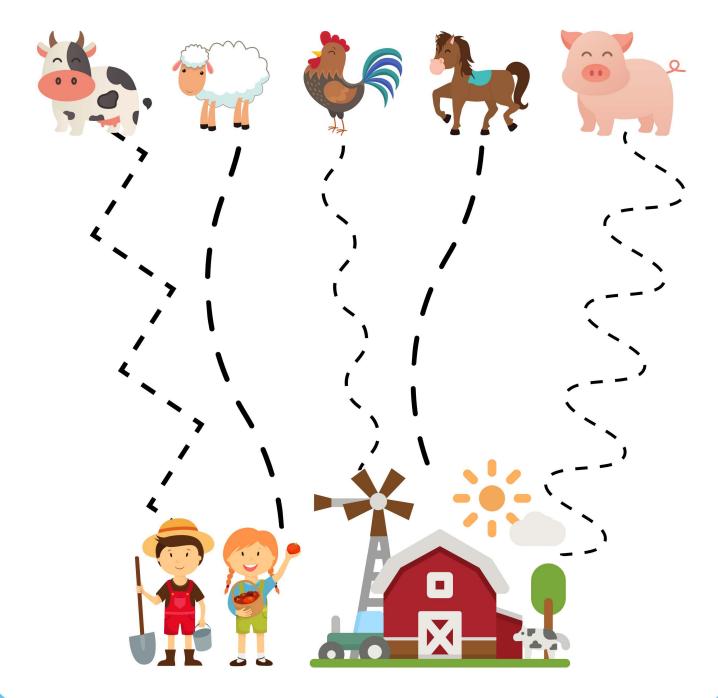
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# ANIMALS AT THE FARM

Trace the lines to help each animal find its way back to the farm in time for dinner!











## Row, Row, Row Your Boat

Row, row, row your boat, Gently down the stream, Merrily, merrily, merrily Life is but a dream.

Row, row, row your boat, Gently by the shore, If you see a lion there, Don't forget to ROAR! Row, row, row your boat, Gently down the creek, If you see a little mouse, Don't forget to SQUEAK.

Row, row, row your boat Gently down the stream If you see a crocodile Don't forget to SCREAM!





Scan the QR code to go in the draw to win a prize by telling us where we could host the next Tales and Trails!



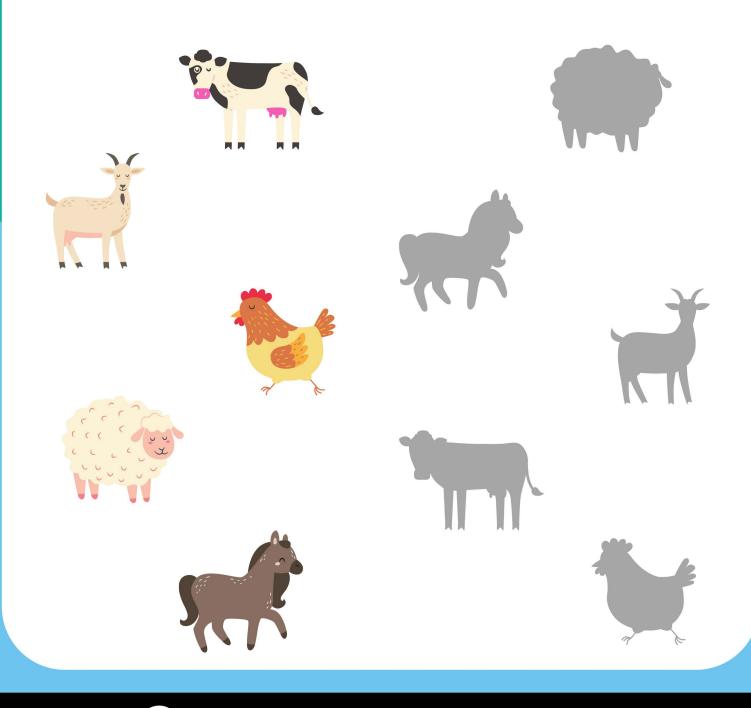






# FARM ANIMAL SHADOWS

Draw a line to match the farm animal to its shadow. What sound does this animal make?



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## **Incy Wincy Spider**

Incy Wincy Spider climbed up the water spout, Down came the rain and washed poor Incy out. Out came the sunshine and dried up all the rain, So Incy Wincy spider climbed up the spout again.

Incy Wincy Spider climbed up into the trees, Down came the snow and made poor Incy freeze. Out came the sunshine and melted all the snow, So Incy Wincy spider gave it another go.



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## Scan the QR code for more quick rhymes!

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# Clean up for storm season

