

Egg Poem and Chick Song

Lesson Title: Hatching Chickens

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What Is an Egg?

by Lucia Kemp Henry

What is an egg?

It's a special place.

It's warm and it's safe.

It's a cozy space.

What is an egg?

It's a place to start

Growing bones and a beak

And feathers and a heart.

What is an egg?

It's a place to grow

For a chick and a duck

And an owl and a crow.

What is an egg?

It's a place to begin

For all sorts of birds;

For rooster and hen.



I'm a Little Chicken

(sung to "I'm a Little Teapot")

by Susan Peters

I'm a little chicken,

Ready to hatch,

Pecking at my shell,

Scratch, scratch, scratch.

When I crack it open, out I'll leap,

Fluff up my feathers and cheep, cheep, cheep!