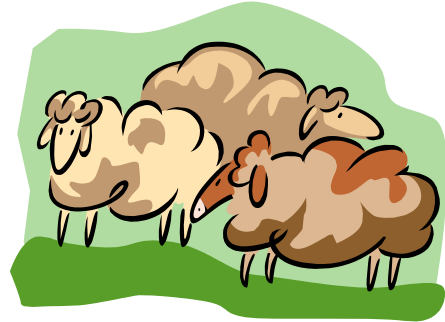


2010 Pre-K Program Themes

Starting in January, 2010 Rutledge-Wilson Farm will offer themed field trip programs specifically designed for pre-K school & daycare groups. These programs will change monthly and includes a theme based story and related activity. Each class is approximately 30 minutes long and is \$1.50 per child, teachers and chaperones are free of charge. Groups must have at least 10 participants to schedule a class.

January ◦ “Russell the Sheep”

Some people count sheep to help them sleep, but what do sheep do? We will find out how sheep sleep and then meet a real one as students discover just how soft wool really is.

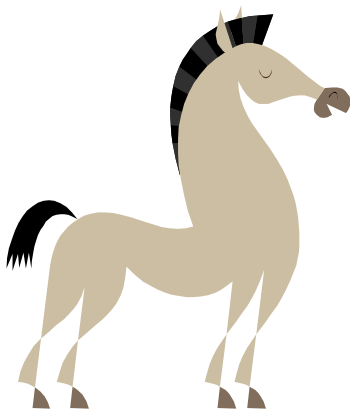


February ◦ “Kiss the Cow!”

Cows are one of the stars at a farm because they give us milk, but do cows need something from us too? Students will hear a fun story about cows and then see firsthand how we can make butter from milk.

March ◦ “The Perfect Nest”

With Easter right around the corner, students will hear a story about a cat that builds the perfect nest in hopes of getting eggs. Then, we will see some real eggs laid by the farm’s chickens and learn that not all eggs look the same.

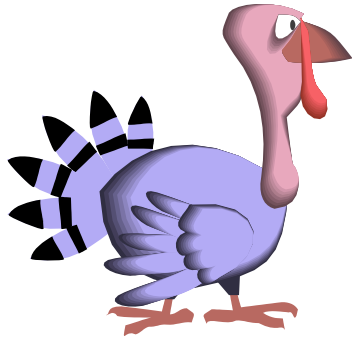


August ◦ “Scamper & The Horse Show”

Horses are used for a lot of different things, one of which is horse shows. Students will hear a story about a horse (Scamper) who has entered a horse show, and then meet a real horse and see how horses are cared for.

September ◦ **“The Scarecrow’s Hat”**

Farmers use scarecrows to keep birds from eating food from their garden. We will read a story about a scarecrow that trades his hat for a walking stick, then students will get a chance to color their own scarecrows.

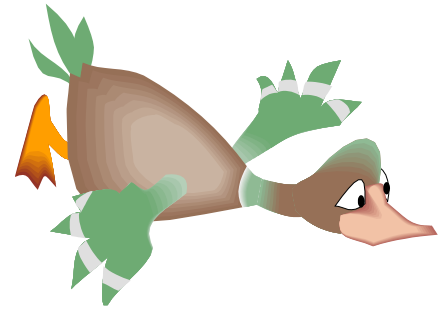


November ◦ **“Gobble-gobble crash!”**

Thanksgiving is right around the corner, so we will read a fun story about a flock of troublemaking turkeys. Then, students will get a chance to meet a real turkey as they learn more about these big birds.

December ◦ **“Duck at the Door”**

During the winter, ducks fly south to escape the cold. We will read a funny story about a duck that forgets to go and must spend the winter inside. Students will then learn how different animals deal with the cold.



Book in the Barn

During the months of **April, May, June, July, & October** we will offer groups their choice of an animal themed book followed by a visit featuring the animal in the story. Groups may choose a story on a sheep, goat, horse, or chicken.

To register your group for any of these classes, please call Nick at 417-837-5945.

