

Who's That Hatching?

Did you know that lots of animals hatch from a shell? Discover just a few in this song that also reinforces number and color recognition, rhythms and improvisation.

WHAT THEY LEARN

Number recognition, color recognition, Identify Oviparous animals (animals that hatch from eggs), rhythm, singing,

WHAT YOU NEED

- Visual of animals in eggs (provided)
 - For the eggs, print and cut egg animal and it's egg out. Cut the egg in half and affix a brad to allow the egg to open and close
- Recording of song (teacher practice only)
- Class set of drums, rhythm sticks optional

WHAT TO DO

- Place the eggs (unopened) on the flannel board.
- Clap (or play) the rhythm that will come after the first two lines and have children repeat it.
- Introduce the song and encourage children to join in.
- At the end of the song, ask a child identify the egg they would like to hatch specifying either the number of the egg. Younger children can tell you the color of the egg or come up and point.
- Open the egg slowly and see if they can identify the animal.
- Continue until all eggs have been opened or when children begin to show that they are ready to change activities.

LYRICS

Who's that hatching? (Clap, Clap, clap-clap, Clap)

Who's that hatching?(Clap, Clap, clap-clap, Clap)

Who's that hatching from the egg?

It's a duck, (Clap, Clap, clap-clap, Clap)

It's a duck, (Clap, Clap, clap-clap, Clap)

It's a duck in the egg.

Animals: Bird, duck, dinosaur, fish, caterpillar, turtle, snail









