

# The Poky Little Puppy!

Fill in the blanks with the words from the story using the answer key, in order to finish the sentences below.



## ANSWER KEY:

grass	puppy
puppies	wide
four	little
hole	two
puppy	poky
down	bridge

Five little \_\_\_\_\_<sub>1</sub> dug a \_\_\_\_\_<sub>2</sub> under the fence and went for a walk in the \_\_\_\_\_<sub>3</sub>, wide world.

Through the meadow they went, \_\_\_\_\_<sub>4</sub> the road, over the \_\_\_\_\_<sub>5</sub>, across the green \_\_\_\_\_<sub>6</sub>, and up the hill, one right after the other.



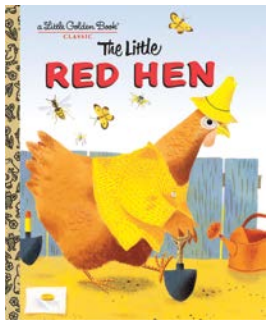
And when they got to the top of the hill, they counted themselves: one, \_\_\_\_\_<sub>7</sub>, three, \_\_\_\_\_<sub>8</sub>. One little \_\_\_\_\_<sub>9</sub> wasn't there.

Now where in the world is that \_\_\_\_\_<sub>10</sub> \_\_\_\_\_<sub>11</sub> \_\_\_\_\_<sub>12</sub>?

## ANSWERS:

1. puppies
2. hole
3. wide
4. down
5. bridge
6. grass
7. two
8. four
9. puppy
10. poky
11. little
12. puppy

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## Match the Little Red Hen!

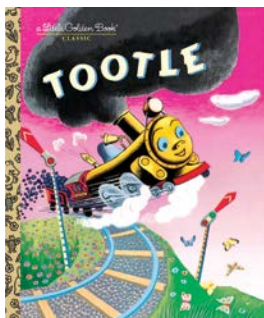


Use the cards below to play the Little Red Hen matching game!  
Cut along the dotted line with an adult's help. Shuffle the cards and place them facedown on a flat surface. Turn one card over and look at it. Then pick another card and turn it over. If the two cards match, set them aside. If not, turn both cards facedown and start again. Continue until you find matches for all your favorites from the story, including the duck, goose, cat, pig, and, of course, the Little Red Hen!



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# Tootle Needs Your Help Getting Back to the Tracks!



Complete the maze to lead Tootle out of the meadow and back to the tracks!  
Be on the lookout for Old Bill and his waving red flag. Remember, Tootle must always *stop* for a red flag waving and practice *staying on the rails* no matter what. Help him become the *flyer* he has always wanted to be!



## BONUS IDEA!

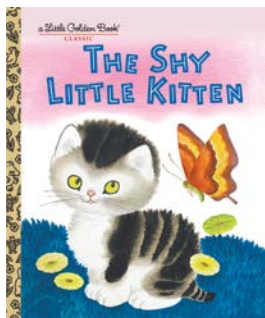
### Create a Tootle Train!

Create your own Tootle train in your bookstore, classroom, or library! The activity facilitator is the conductor of the train, standing at the front of the line. Children can line up single file behind the conductor. Do your best to stay in a line, keeping your train connected! Be sure to incorporate Tootle's story into your activity.

## ANSWER:



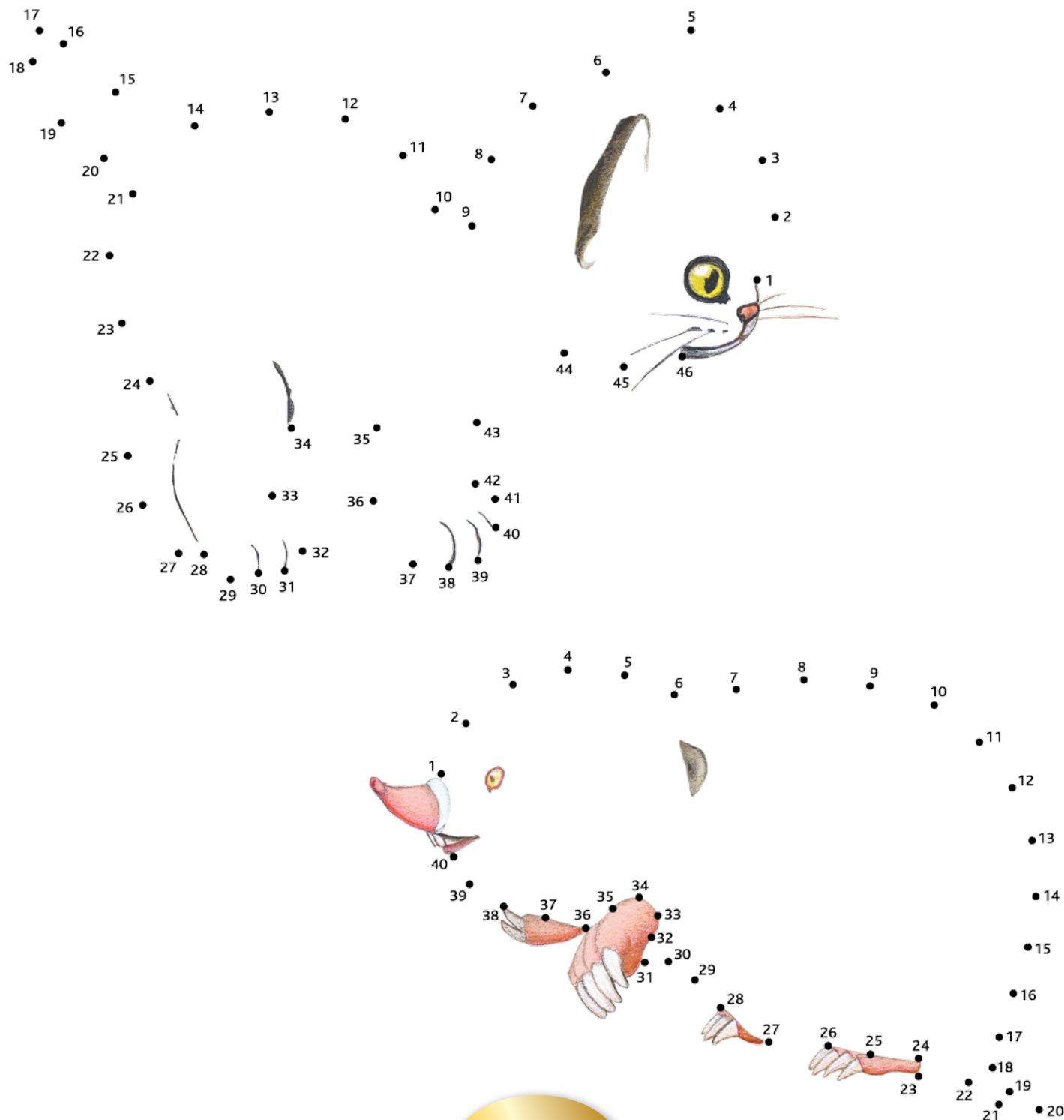
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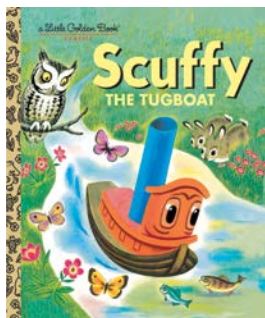
# Can You Find the Shy Little Kitten and Her New Friend?



Connect the dots to reveal the Shy Little Kitten meeting her new friend, the mole. When you're finished, color in your picture!



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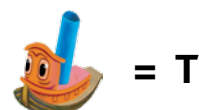


# Help Scuffy Solve the Secret Message!

Scuffy wants to decode the secret message, but he needs your help! Fill in the blanks with the letter that matches each picture in the key below to reveal the secret message.



KEY:



ANSWER:

THIS IS THE LIFE FOR ME

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## The Best Pet of All

In *Pets for Peter*, Peter got exactly what he wanted: "a good old, little old—puppy dog!" Now, it's your turn to decide which pet is best for you. Fill in the blanks to describe your perfect pet. Then draw a picture of the pet you described in the gold frame!



The pet for me is a \_\_\_\_\_ . It lives in \_\_\_\_\_ where it

ANIMAL

PLACE

loves to \_\_\_\_\_ all day long. This pet is \_\_\_\_\_ and is

ACTIVITY

COLOR

special because it can \_\_\_\_\_ .

ACTION WORD



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