



The Cow That Laid An Egg

P2 Levelled Questions

Level 1

How did Marjorie feel at the beginning of the story?

What was happening when the egg started to 'tap'?

Who didn't believe that Marjorie laid the egg?

What did the creature say when it hatched at the end of the story?

Can you name any of the characters from the story?

Which part of the story is your favourite?

Level 2

Describe what Marjorie looks like. Can you use some 'WOW' words?

Why did Marjorie feel sad at the beginning of the story?

What was the chickens' plan?

Complete the sentences:

When Marjorie laid the egg, the farmer said... "_____".

The farmer's wife called... "_____".

Why were the cows not happy?

Level 3

What nickname did the chickens give to Marjorie at the beginning of the story?

Can you find any words containing the 'ck' sound in the story?

Can you find the name of the cows' newspapers?

Create a rhyming string starting with the word tap.

Can you find any words containing the 'ng' sound in the story?

Level 4

Can you find a word that rhymes with 'paid'?

Why did the cows feel astonished when Marjorie laid an egg?

What does the word 'astonished' mean?

Can you find a word that rhymes with 'lunch'?

Can you find a word in the story that means the opposite of 'big'?

What other animals lay eggs? Use the internet or fact books to help you carry out some research.