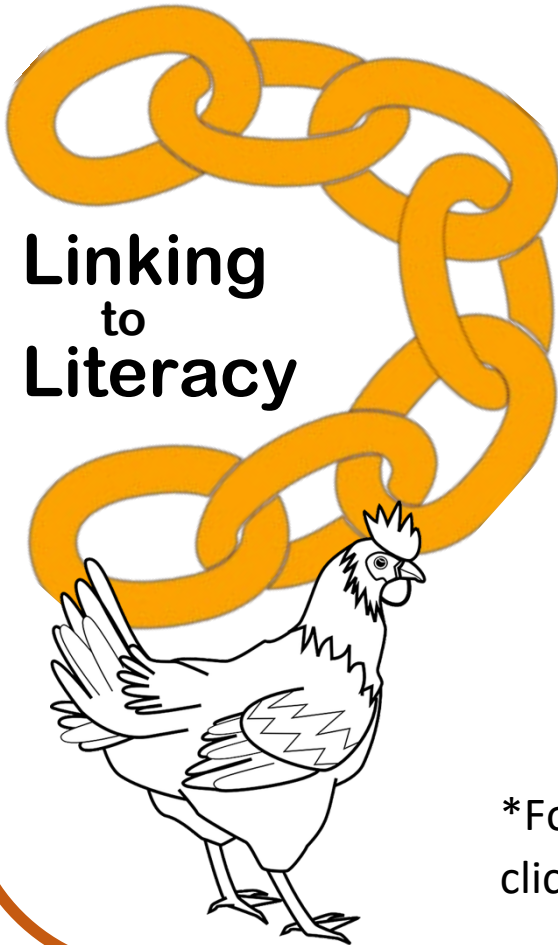


Simple activities designed to help parents and/or caregivers participate in, and support, a child's literacy skills and educational goals:

## Linking to Literacy



- **Easiest:** Read the story together. The word “chicken” begins with **the letter Cc**. Have your child point to **the letter C** on each page and **count** them.
- **More Difficult:** **Adding the letter Hh** to s, t, and c changes the sound they make. Find words in the story that have the **digraphs sh, th, and ch**.
- **Challenging:** Help your child **expand their vocabulary** by researching chickens. Make a list of the various parts of a chicken, such as wing, beak, etc.

\*For free, printable resources, visit [doodleandpeck.com](http://doodleandpeck.com), click on the **Linking to Literacy** tab.