

Ms. Demarco and Ms. Tipper



Use one word or sentence to describe what was wonderful about watching your three eggs hatch into ducklings?

Brainstorming Ideas:

- They were at the farm
- On Monday they came to our class
- We picked them up from the farm
- The Three Little Ducklings walking down the hallway

Feelings: How did it make you feel seeing the ducks this morning?

- Happy
- Excited
- Surprised
- Great

Describing the ducklings:

- They looked all the same
- They have webbed feet (like dinosaur feet)
- Soft, warm, egg toothed, fuzzy, hippy
- Looks like a chicken
- Cute
- Yellow on its tummy and brown on its back and head
- Moves a lot

Title and Hook Ideas:

- The Egg Hatch
- Little Duck
- He hatched overnight
- The Duckling
- The Dancing Ducks
- The Cute, Funny Ducks
- Clever the Duck
- The Three Little Ducks/Ducklings
- The Three Little Ducks riding a rocket

Rhyming Words

Inside: tried, hide, find, ride, guide, lied, tied, mind, wide, side, pride, decide

Way: bay, say, day, fay, gay, hey, jay, Kay, lay, lay, May, pay, play,

Shell: bell, fell, tell, spell, smell, yell, Mel, gel, well, sell,

Friends: bends, sends, dens, hens, Jen, Ken, lends, sends, tends, when, blends, spends



Three Little Ducks (They hatched overnight)

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Verse 1

**One April morning a box came to school
With three new surprises inside
When we opened the box we all were amazed
Our smiles were beaming and wide**

Chorus

**There in the box were three little eggs
That came from a farm far away
We all got to hold them one at a time
They were still in their shells on that day**

Verse 2

Then Wednesday morning all fuzzy and cute
Three ducklings cracked out of those shells
They were yellow and brown and fit in our hands
But none of them stood very well

Chorus

There in the box were three little ducks
That came from a farm far away
We all got to hold them one at a time
They were cuddly and wanted to play

Verse 3

We decided to name the day they were born
Before they returned to the farm
There was Spotty and Earth Quack who had a black head
And the smallest we gave the name Charm

Chorus

There in the box were three little ducks
That came from a farm far away
We all got to hold them one at a time
They were cuddly and wanted to play

Verse 4

One Friday morning we said our goodbyes
We'll sure miss our web-footed friends
But everyone knows that ducks like it better
When they're home on the farm in the end

Chorus

There on the farm are three little ducks
That came from a school far away
They're glad to be home with all of their friends
In a place where they're safe and can play
Ya they're glad to be home with all of their friends
In a place where they'll live out their days

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