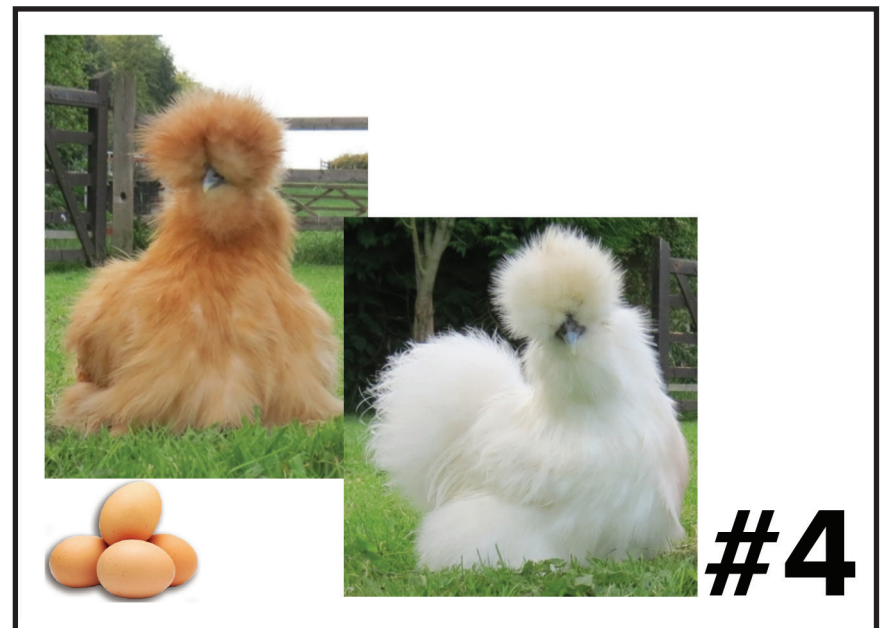
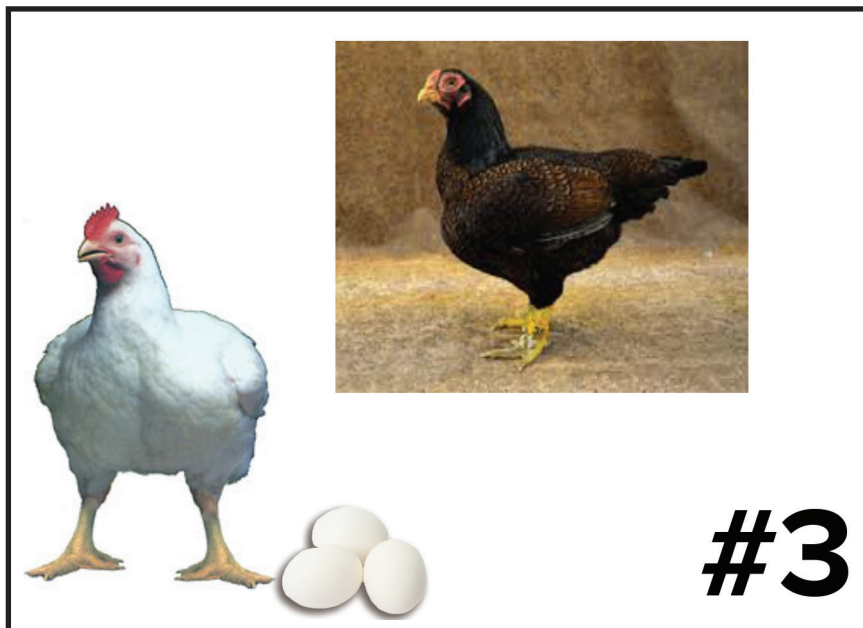
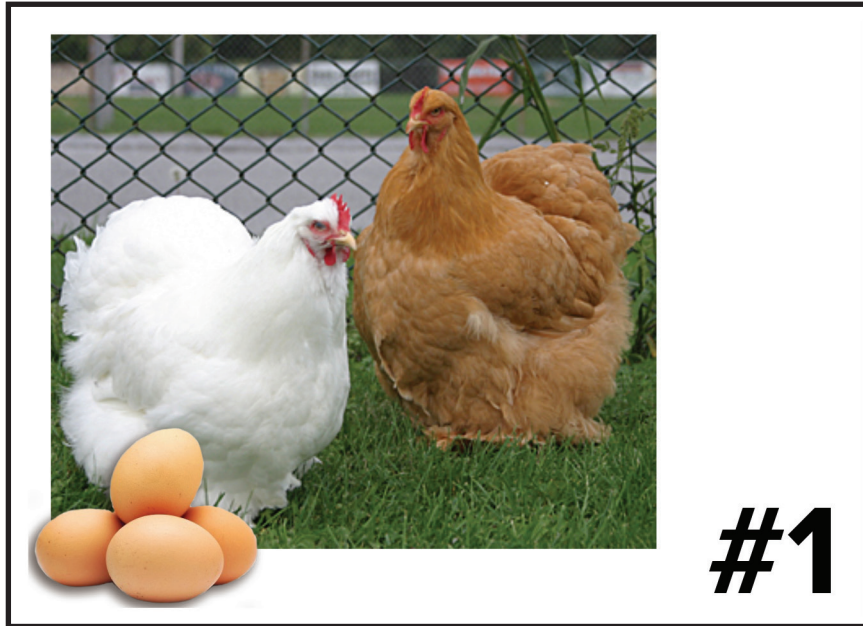
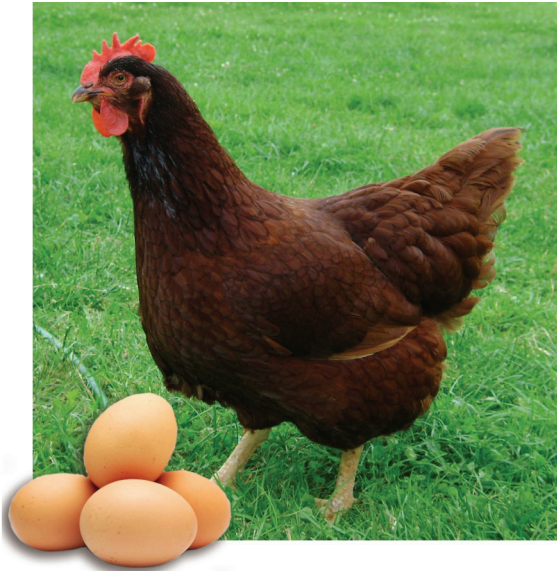
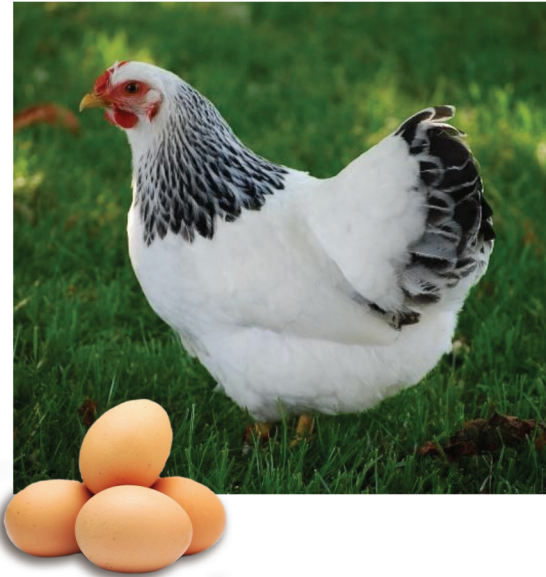


Classroom AgVentures **CHICKEN MATCHING CARDS**





#5



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#7



#8

Silkie

Characteristics you can see:

- Small, fluffy feathers appearing like silk
- Feathers in a ball shape on their head AND covering their feet
- Many colors, including white, brown and black
- Small brown eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Low egg production
- These chickens are typically raised for shows or as a hobby

A

Sussex

Characteristics you can see:

- White feathers on body, black feathers on neck and tail
- No feathers on legs or feet
- Large brown eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Good egg layers

B

Cornish

Characteristics you can see:

- Smooth white or brown feathers
- Thick, heavy body
- Small white eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Very good for meat production
- Fast growing
- Poor egg production, so they are mostly raised for meat

C

Cochin

Characteristics you can see:

- Very thick, fluffy feathers that give body a round appearance
- Feathers cover legs and feet
- Many colors, including white, brown and multicolored
- Medium-sized brown eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Low egg production
- These chickens are typically raised for shows or as a hobby

D

Rhode Island Red

Characteristics you can see:

- Smooth reddish brown feathers
- No feathers on legs or feet
- Large brown eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Very good egg layers

E

White Leghorn

Characteristics you can see:

- Smooth white feathers
- No feathers on feet or legs
- White
- Large white eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Very good egg layers

F

Plymouth Rock

Characteristics you can see:

- Smooth feathers
- Feathers are black and white and appear like stripes
- No feathers on legs or feet
- Large body size
- Large brown eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Good egg layers

G

Polish Crested

Characteristics you can see:

- Smooth feathers on body
- “Crest” of feathers on the head
- No feathers on legs or feet
- Many colors, including black, brown and multicolored
- Medium-sized white eggs

Characteristics farmers look for:

- Low egg production
- These chickens are typically raised for shows or as a hobby

H



Picture Card Key:

1. Cochin
2. Leghorn
3. Cornish
4. Silkie
5. Rhode Island Red
6. Sussex
7. Polish Crested
8. Plymouth Rock

Description Card Key:

- A. Silkie
- B. Sussex
- C. Cornish
- D. Cochin
- E. Rhode Island Red
- F. White Leghorn
- G. Plymouth Rock
- H. Polish Crested

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