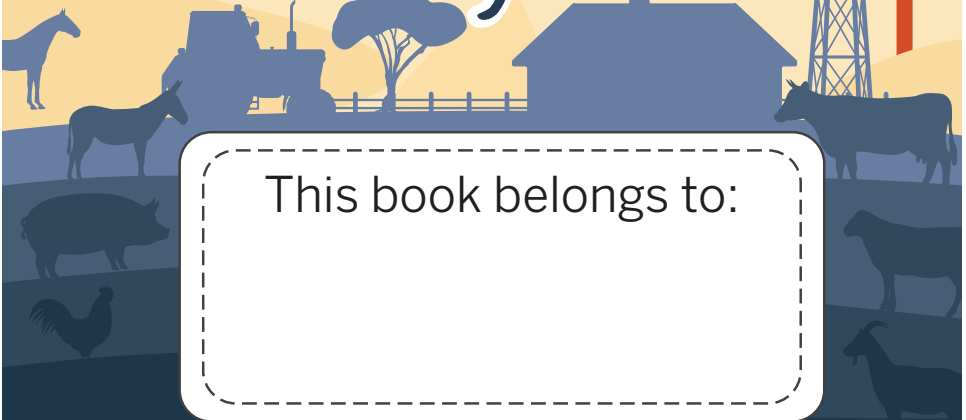
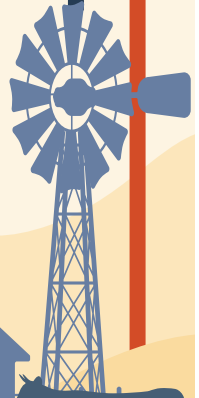




# FARM DOG

activity book



This book belongs to:

# DID YOU KNOW?

Dogs are often used to do two different jobs on a farm or ranch.

- 1. HERDING:** A dog that moves a group of animals from one spot to another.
- 2. GUARDING:** A dog that protects the herd of animals from predators that would harm them.

## BREEDS

Using the descriptions, match the picture to the breed name.



### Anatolian Shepherd

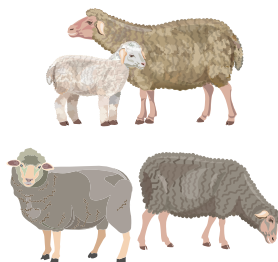
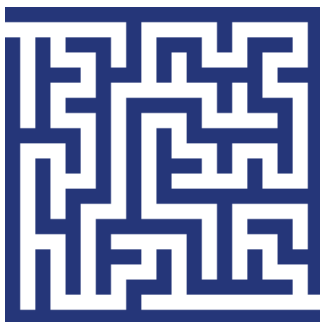
- This is a large, tan breed that is loyal and used as a guard dog to protect a herd.



### Border Collie

- This is a midsize, black and white breed that is athletic and used for herding purposes.

The herd of sheep has been separated from their guard dog. Help them find their way!



# IT'S YOUR FARM DOG!

Color the border collie below.



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

What type of animals does your dog herd? (*Sheep, Goats, Cattle*)

\_\_\_\_\_

How many are in the herd? \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite thing about your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Anything else you want someone to know? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**FUN**

**FACT**

Farmers and ranchers often use words, phrases and sounds to tell their dog what to do.

**Example:**

If a farmer wants their dog to move the herd to the right, they say “come bye”.

## **NOW YOU TRY**

Choose a word, phrase or sound that you would use to tell your dog the commands below. After you are done, go tell a friend!

**Stop =** \_\_\_\_\_

**Walk =** \_\_\_\_\_

**Run =** \_\_\_\_\_

**Turn to the right =** \_\_\_\_\_

**Turn to the left =** \_\_\_\_\_

Guard dogs are used to protect a herd of animals from predators. *What are predators that would put a herd of sheep in danger?*

