

MAKE YOUR OWN BUNNY EARS

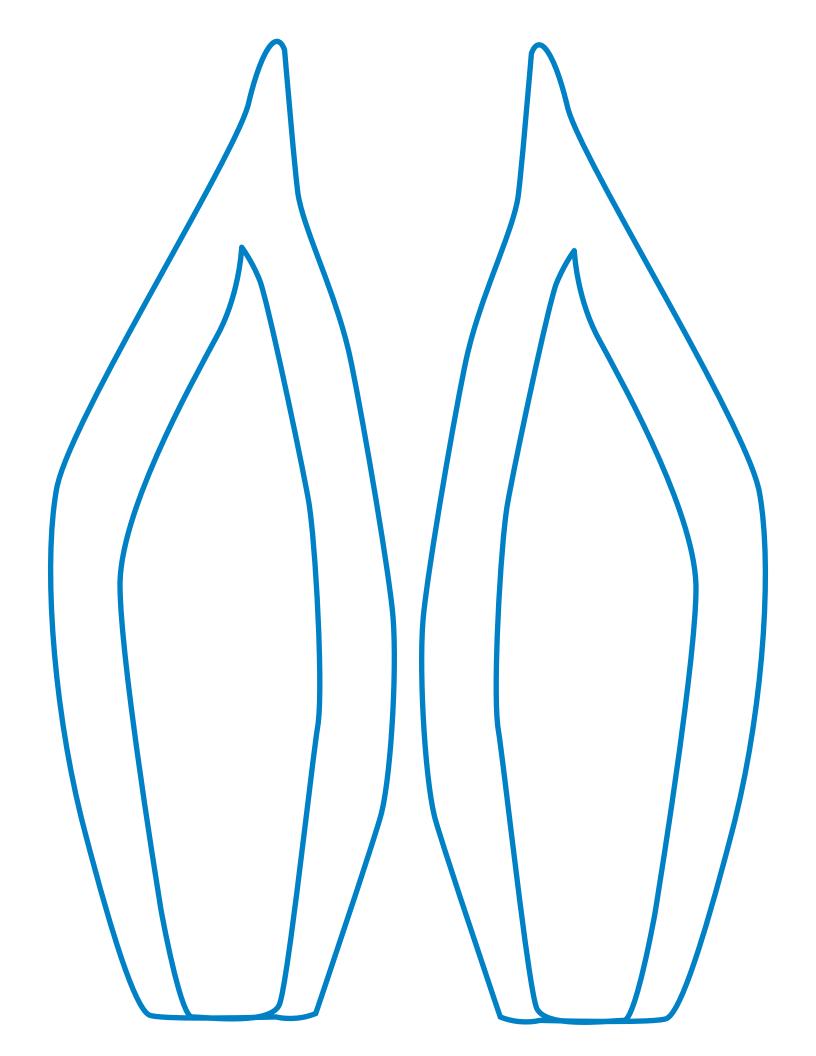
Children can pretend that they are Peter Rabbit by creating their own set of bunny ears!

Supplies Needed:

- Copies of ear template (next page)
- Plain 8 1/2 x 11 paper
- Tape
- Scissors
- Crayons, markers, colored pencils
- 1. Make enough copies of the ear pattern on the next page so each child has one pair.

 The event coordinator should cut out the ears.
- 2. Cut paper into approximately 4-inch vertical strips.
- 3. Piece strips together with tape to make a headband long enough to fit around the child's head—but don't tape ends together yet.
- 4. Tape the ears onto the headband strips
- 5. Let the children decorate their ears with markers, crayons, etc.
- 6. Tape the ends of the headband together so it forms a loop that fits around the child's head.







PLACE THE TAIL ON PETER RABBIT

Supplies needed:

- 11 x 17 Peter Rabbit Sheet (on the next page)
- Cotton balls
- Small paper circles
- School glue
- Poster putty (also called sticky tack) or double-sided tape

Hang up the 11 x 17 Peter Rabbit Sheet in an open area at eye level to the average preschooler.

Then give each child a cotton ball and a small white paper circle.

Help each child to print his/her name on one side of the paper circle.

Then glue the cotton ball to the other side of the circle.

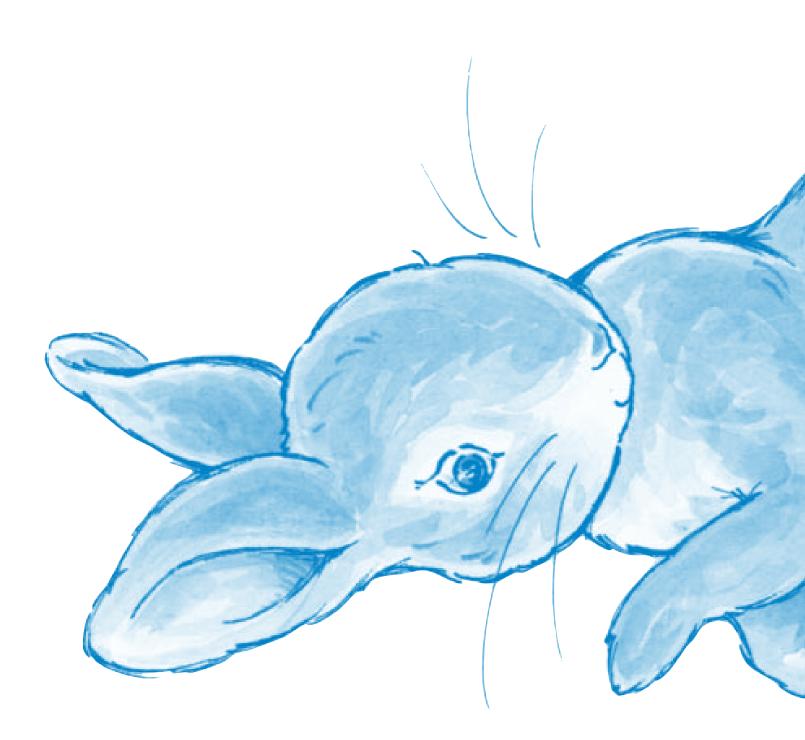
Place a piece of poster putty (or double-sided tape) on the paper-backed side of everyone's cotton-ball tail.

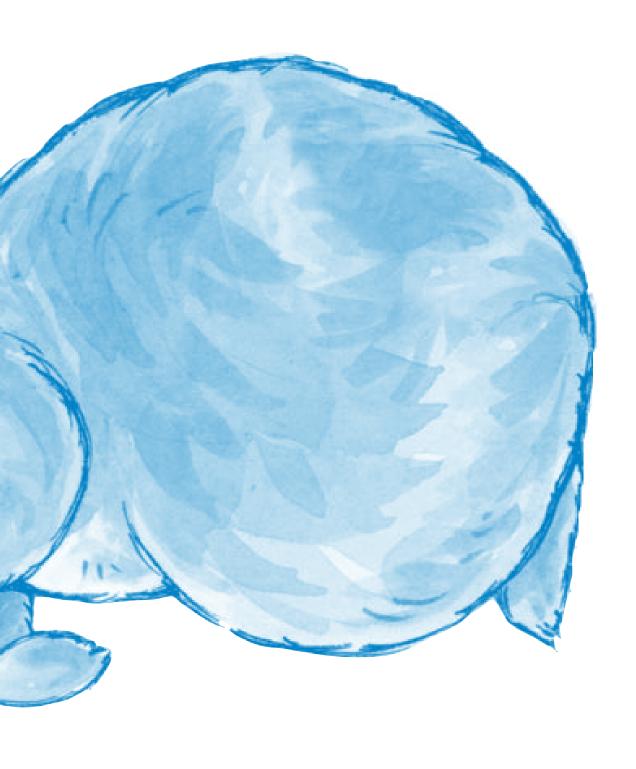
Blindfold one child at a time (with loosely tied bandana), turn him or her three times, and point them in the direction of the Peter Rabbit poster.

Explain that the children should try to place their cottontails in the correct spot on Peter without peeking.

See which child comes closest to placing the tail in the correct spot.

NOTE: For this activity, divide the children into 2 groups of 3–5 and 5+. Younger children may need more help. Blindfold them, but don't spin them around. Then walk them up to the poster.



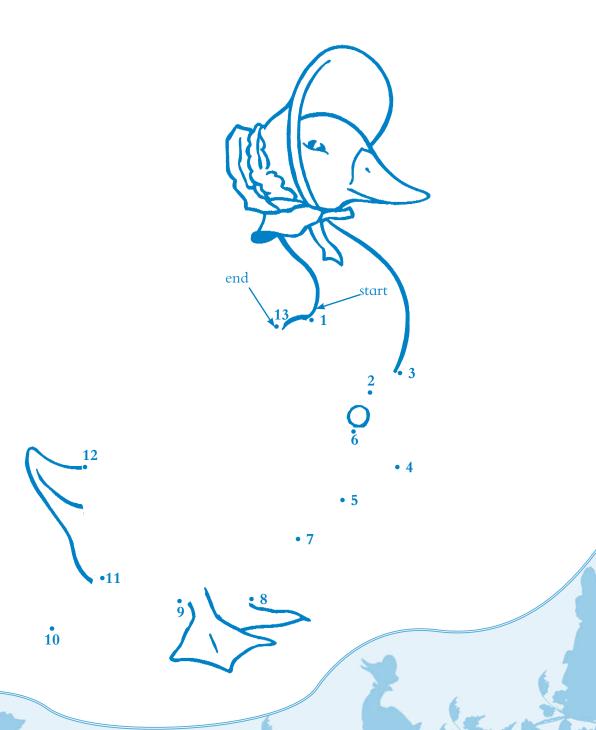


Place the Tail on Peter Rabbit!



CONNECT THE DOTS

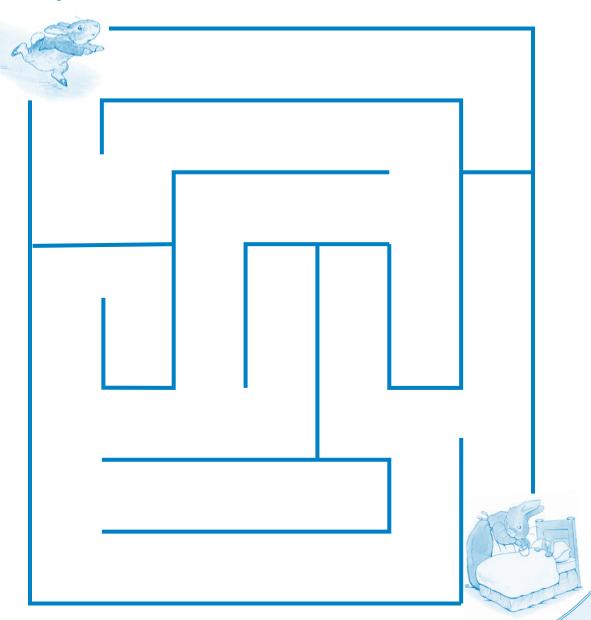
Beatrix Potter drew all the animal characters for her books. Can you finish the picture below to see one of Beatrix's favorite characters?





LOOK OUT, PETER RABBIT!

Oh no! Mr. McGregor has caught Peter Rabbit in his garden eating carrots! Help Peter get back home to his mother.





COLORING FUN!

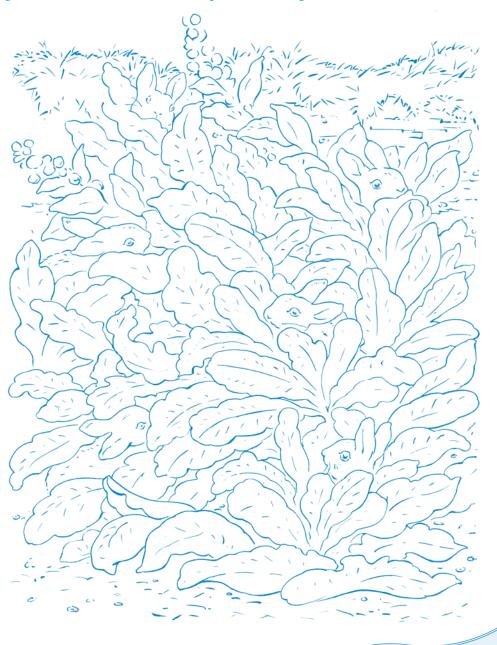
Color the picture of Mr. Jeremy Fisher below with crayons or colored pencils.





FIND THE BUNNIES

In this picture of a lettuce patch, there are six naughty bunnies hiding and eating. Can you find them all? Color in the picture when you're finished.





GARDEN PARTY MATCH

Can you help count the number of items found in Beatrix Potter's garden? Draw a line from the number on the right side to the picture on the left side that has the same number of items.

