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Paper Bag Animals (source: dltk-kids.com)

This cute and easy craft makes for fun pretend...use with Activity 3 for more fun! Take it one step further and draw a scene to go with each animal, or research where each animal originated, what it eats, what its life cycle looks like, if it provides food, work effort, and/or quality of life increases for humans.

Supplies Needed:

- paper bag(s)
- printer (or paper to draw/cut your own parts)
- crayons
- scissors
- glue
- googly eyes (optional)

Join us on our Facebook page for instructions!

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Animal Washing (Sensory) Station

Farm animals sure can get dirty! Use containers to collect dirt and fill with water. What tools do you have around the house to help clean them up?

Supplies Needed:

- 1 divided, or two separate containers (one for dirt and one for water)
- dirt
- water
- plastic animals
- tools for cleaning (soap, old toothbrushes, rags, etc...)



source: coffeecupsandcrayons.com

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Animal Actions

Kazoo has some company this week...introducing: Gus, the friendly Nebraska Farm Bureau Foundation bovine! Visit our website for printable versions of Gus and Kazoo. Can you act like these two animals? Flap your "wings" and tweet like a bird! Swish your tail and moo like a cow! Take a fun picture with Gus and Kazoo and upload it to nefbfoundation.org/educators/get-involved/hello-gus for a chance to win a free book!

While you're at it...what other animals can you pretend to be?