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KS2 Primary Lesson plan ideas

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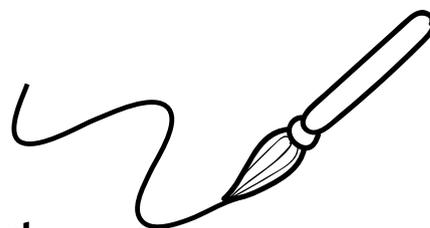
English

- Create a newspaper front cover about the Colby Fair and the procession with the hen.
- Imagine you live in the late 1800's. Write a persuasive letter to the people of Colby convincing them that the tradition of killing a hen should be stopped and why.



History

Research and try to find out if there are any other cultures or countries where animals are sacrificed or killed for tradition.



Art

Have a go at sketching hens and chickens. Collect feathers and do some printing with them or try to dip the quill in ink to produce some art work.

Science

Investigate the life cycle of a hen. Where do hens fit into the animal classification tables?

Music

Have a go at playing or listening to the music associated with Laa'l Catreeney.

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