



## Farmyard Babies

A female pig is called a sow and they can have up to 25 babies in one litter! Their babies are called piglets.

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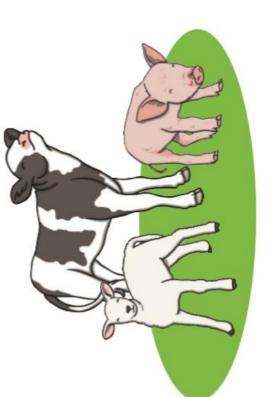
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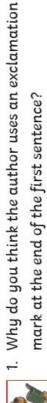
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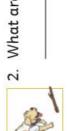
Cows give birth to live young called calves. A calf feeds off its mother's milk for the first eight to ten weeks of its life so that it stays healthy and strong.

A lamb is the name of a baby sheep. The mother sheep is called a ewe. The farmer will normally bring the ewe into a barn to give birth. They can have up to four babies at a time but usually they only have one or two.



## Quick Questions





2. What are baby cows called?



 Why do you think that the farmer brings the ewe inside the barn to give birth?



 Why do baby cows drink their mother's milk for eight to ten weeks after they are born?



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