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# THE VAIN LITTLE MOUSE

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#### **NOTE TO TEACHERS**

The teacher can read the script at www.transeduca.com/obra-the-vain-little-mouse-351-es and work with the children on any words and characters they consider essential for understanding the plot.



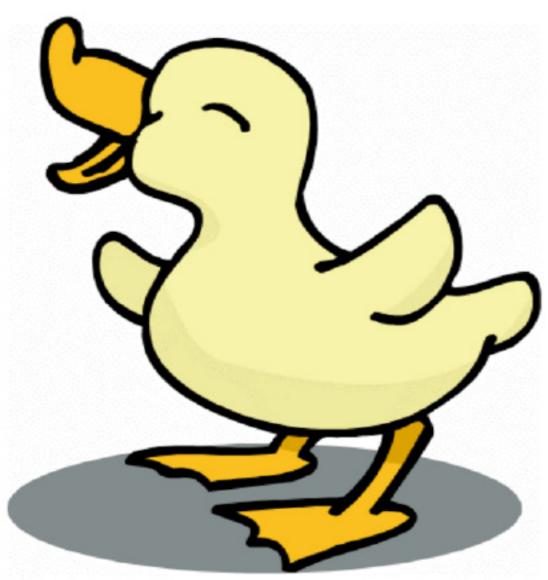
## ACTIVITIES TO WORK ON BEFORE GOING TO THE THEATRE

#### 1. FLASHCARD: MOUSE















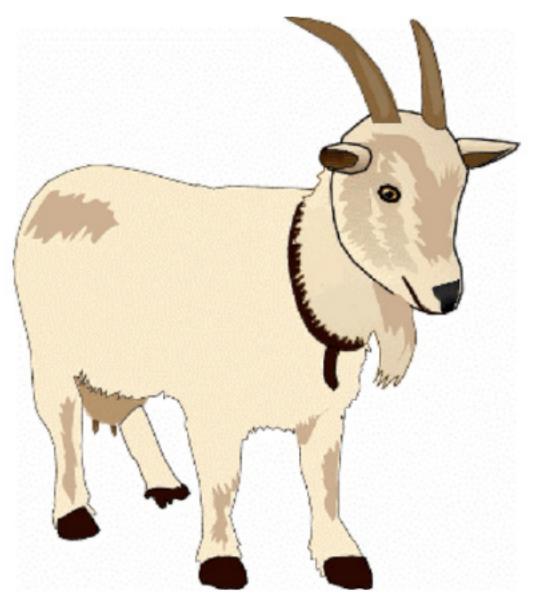






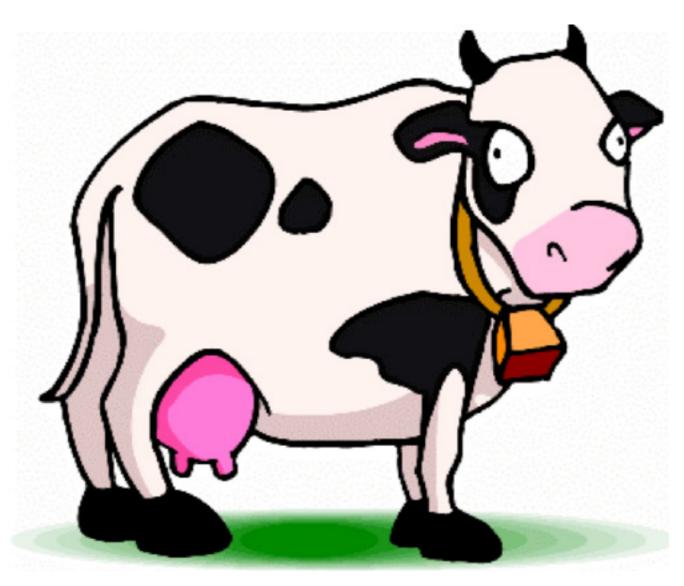






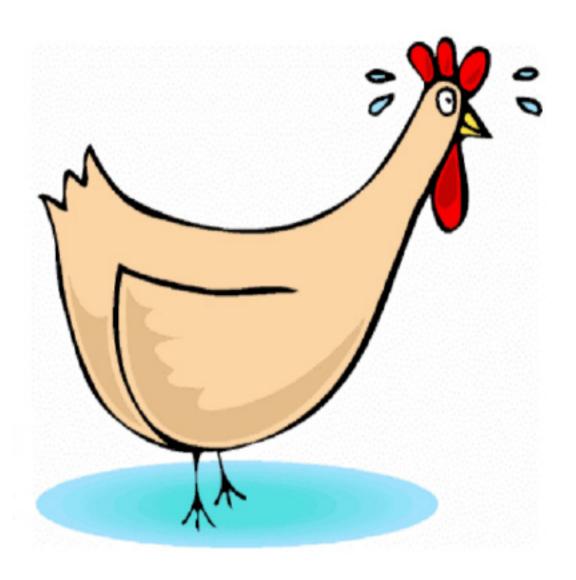












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8. GO OVER AND COLOUR THE FOLLOWING WORDS.

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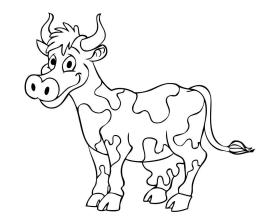


## 9. LINKS TO WORK WITH BEFORE GOING TO THE THEATRE:

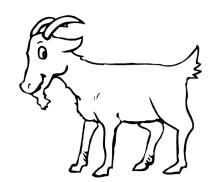
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#### 10. CAN YOU REPEAT THE SOUND OF THESE ANIMALS?



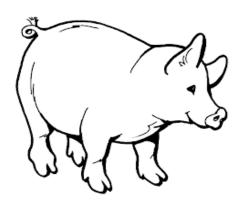
COW:MOOOOOO! MOOOOOO! MOOOOOO!



GOAT:BAAAAAAAAAAAA! BAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!



DUCK: QUACK! QUACK! QUACK! QUACK!



PIG: OINK! OINK! OINK!



#### 11. EXPLAIN THIS PICTURE:



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# 12. LISTEN TO THIS SONG EXCERPT CAREFULLY AND TRY TO LEARN THE CHORUS. THEN YOU CAN SING ALONG WITH THE ACTORS AT THE THEATRE. YOU CAN DOWNLOAD THE SONG AT http://www.transeduca.com/obra-the-vain-little-mouse-351-es

#### "ONCE UPON A TIME"

ONCE UPON A TIME,

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I AM THE MOUSE,

BEAUTIFUL MOUSE.

SWEEPING THIS WAY, THIS WAY, THIS

WAY

AND THE OTHER, OTHER WAY

DOWN THE STAIRWAY.

SHE LOVES TO GET THE LOOKS
WHEN SHE'S WALKING DOWN THE
STREET.

AND TO HEAR "YOU LOOK SO PRETTY!"
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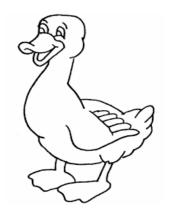
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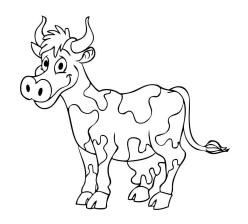
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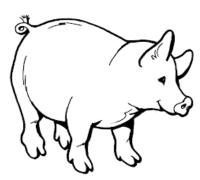


## ACTIVITIES TO WORK ON AFTER GOING TO THE THEATRE

### **13. WHO IS WHO?**









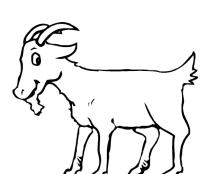


Pig

Goat

Cow

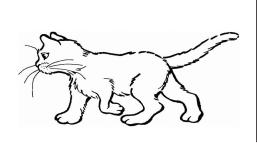
Cat



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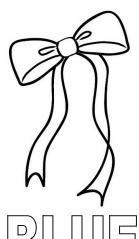
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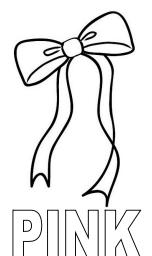


### 14. DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOU CAN FIND ON A FARM?

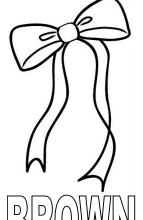


## 15. COLOUR THE SIX BOWS AS INDICATED.

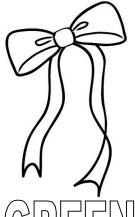












WHAT BOWS APPEAR IN THE STORY?

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#### 16. LET'S TRY TO EXPLAIN THE PLAY TOGETHER!

WHAT HAPPENED?	
WHAT ANIMALS APPEARED?	
WHO MARRIES THE VAIN LITTLE MOUSE?	
WHAT HAVE WE LEARNED?	
WHAT DID WE LIKE THE MOST?	



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## SONGS

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AND THE OTHER, OTHER WAY,
AND THIS WAY, THIS WAY,
THIS WAY, THIS WAY,
AND THE OTHER, OTHER WAY,
DOWN THE STAIRWAY.



## "THE CANDIDATES"

I AM LOOKING FOR A CANDIDATE
WHO IS GOOD-LOOKING AND SMELLS
GREAT.

SOMEONE WHO MAKES ME HAPPY,

SOMEONE WHO MAKES ME LAUGH,

SOMEONE WITH A NICE VOICE WHO WILL

MAKE ME FALL IN LOVE

-'I AM THE PIG AND I GO OINK, OINK, OINK'. -'OOH, OOH, I DON'T LIKE YOUR VOICE AT ALL!'

-I AM THE PIG AND I GO ... OINK, OINK, OINK.
-I AM THE SHEEP AND I GO... BAA, BAA, BAA.
-I AM THE DUCK AND I GO... QUACK, QUACK, QUACK.

SAY SOMETHING NICE TO ME:

-'OH LITTLE MOUSE, YOU LOOK SO BEAUTIFUL! WILL YOU MARRY ME?'

-'OH PIG I'M NOT QUITE SURE, LET'S SEE
WHAT'S YOUR VOICE LIKE?'.

I AM THE CAT AND I GO... MEOW, MEOW, MEOW, MEOW, MEOW, MEOW.

OH, OH, I HAVE FOUND YOU AT LAST!
I'LL MARRY YOU!

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## "CLAP YOUR HANDS"

THIS IS THE END, LET'S CLAP OUR HANDS. THE POOR LITTLE MOUSE WAS SADLY EATEN BY HER LOVER, MR CAT.

THIS IS THE END, LET'S JUST ALL BE FRIENDS.

WE'VE MET A LITTLE TINY
PRETTY MOUSE.

SHE SHARED THE FARM WITH
OTHER ANIMALS,
SHE FOUND A COIN CLEANING
THE FLOOR,
SHE BOUGHT HERSELF A PINK
BOW.

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SADLY EATEN BY HER LOVER, MR
CAT.
THIS IS THE END,
LET'S JUST ALL BE FRIENDS.

SHE CHOSE BETWEEN THE
CANDIDATES SHE SAW,
SHE LISTENED TO THEIR VOICES
TO BE SURE
AND, IN THE END, OF ALL OF
THEM SHE CHOSE
THE SMARTEST OF ALL THAT'S:
THE CAT.

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THIS IS THE END, LET'S JUST ALL BE FRIENDS. THIS IS THE END LET'S JUST ALL BE FRIENDS.

PRETTY MOUSE, YOU CHOSE
THE CAT.
PRETTY MOUSE, YOU'VE LEFT US
SO SAD.
PRETTY MOUSE, YOU'D BETTER
LEARN TO CHOOSE FRIENDS!

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THIS IS THE END, LET'S JUST ALL BE FRIENDS.

THIS IS THE END, MY FRIENDS...
GOODBYE!!



## "SING WITH TRANSEDUCA"

THEATRE IS ALWAYS GREAT!
I LIKE, YOU LIKE THE SHOW.
EVERYTHING IS ALWAYS FUNNY, WITH
TRANSEDUCA,
I LIKE, YOU LIKE THE SHOW.

THEATRE IS ALWAYS GREAT!
HELLO, HAVE A GOOD SHOW!
EVERYBODY CLAP YOUR HANDS,
ONE, TWO, THREE AND FOUR.

AND NOW, LET'S SING!
LA, LA, LA, LA.
AGAIN!
LA, LA, LA.
I CANNOT HEAR YOU!
LA, LA, LA, LA.
TRANSEDUCA IS YOUR CHOICE.

AND NOW, CLAP YOUR HANDS! CLAP, CLAP, CLAP, CLAP. COME ON, LOUDER! CLAP, CLAP, CLAP. YOU CAN DO IT BETTER! CLAP, CLAP, CLAP. TRANSEDUCA IS YOUR CHOICE. THEATRE IS ALWAYS GREAT!
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THEATRE IS ALWAYS GREAT!
HELLO, HAVE A GOOD SHOW!
EVERYBODY CLAP YOUR HANDS,
ONE, TWO, THREE AND FOUR.

AND NOW, EVERYBODY GIVE US A KISS.

KISS, KISS, KISS, KISS.

YES, WE LOVE KISSES!

KISS, KISS, KISS.

THE TEACHERS, AS WELL!

KISS, KISS, KISS, KISS.

TRANSEDUCA IS YOUR CHOICE.

AND NOW, EVERYBODY SAYS GOODBYE!
GOODBYE, GOODBYE.
COME ON, EVERYBODY!
GOODBYE, GOODBYE.
SAY IT LOUD AND CLEAR!
GOODBYE GOODBYE.
TRANSEDUCA IS YOUR CHOICE.