

# Ms. Demarco and Ms. Tipper



**Use one word or sentence to describe what was wonderful about watching your three eggs hatch into ducklings?**

## **Brainstorming Ideas:**

- They were at the farm
- On Monday they came to our class
- We picked them up from the farm
- The Three Little Ducklings walking down the hallway

Feelings: How did it make you feel seeing the ducks this morning?

- Happy
- Excited
- Surprised
- Great

Describing the ducklings:

- They looked all the same
- They have webbed feet (like dinosaur feet)
- Soft, warm, egg toothed, fuzzy, hippy
- Looks like a chicken
- Cute
- Yellow on its tummy and brown on its back and head
- Moves a lot

## Title and Hook Ideas:

- The Egg Hatch
- Little Duck
- He hatched overnight
- The Duckling
- The Dancing Ducks
- The Cute, Funny Ducks
- Clever the Duck
- The Three Little Ducks/Ducklings
- The Three Little Ducks riding a rocket

## Rhyming Words

Inside: tried, hide, find, ride, guide, lied, tied, mind, wide, side, pride, decide

Way: bay, say, day, fay, gay, hey, jay, Kay, lay, lay, May, pay, play,

Shell: bell, fell, tell, spell, smell, yell, Mel, gel, well, sell,

Friends: bends, sends, dens, hens, Jen, Ken, lends, sends, tends, when, blends, spends



## ***Three Little Ducks (They hatched overnight)***

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### **Verse 1**

**One April morning a box came to school  
With three new surprises inside  
When we opened the box we all were amazed  
Our smiles were beaming and wide**

### **Chorus**

**There in the box were three little eggs  
That came from a farm far away  
We all got to hold them one at a time  
They were still in their shells on that day**

## Verse 2

Then Wednesday morning all fuzzy and cute  
Three ducklings cracked out of those shells  
They were yellow and brown and fit in our hands  
But none of them stood very well

## Chorus

There in the box were three little ducks  
That came from a farm far away  
We all got to hold them one at a time  
They were cuddly and wanted to play

## Verse 3

We decided to name the day they were born  
Before they returned to the farm  
There was Spotty and Earth Quack who had a black head  
And the smallest we gave the name Charm

## Chorus

There in the box were three little ducks  
That came from a farm far away  
We all got to hold them one at a time  
They were cuddly and wanted to play

## Verse 4

One Friday morning we said our goodbyes  
We'll sure miss our web-footed friends  
But everyone knows that ducks like it better  
When they're home on the farm in the end

## Chorus

There on the farm are three little ducks  
That came from a school far away  
They're glad to be home with all of their friends  
In a place where they're safe and can play  
Ya they're glad to be home with all of their friends  
In a place where they'll live out their days

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