Are You My Mother?
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1. Run copies on cardstock (index paper or tagboard).

2. Color pieces with markers, color pencils (may not be as bright), pastels, or paint, (crayons may melt when laminated).

3. When putting two large pieces together, use a glue stick to prevent pieces from wrinkling when laminating.

4. Laminate story objects. You may cut pieces before or after laminating.

5. Attach velcro dots or pieces to back of each object.

Tip: Make an outline story card to use when telling the story.

Remember patterns are not to be used for children's art projects!

Patterns may be use for teacher made puppets which children can use for story retelling. Patterns may be enlarged if preferred.

Activities:
1. Match animal mother and animal baby pictures and play concentration with them.
2. Make cards for mothers or other special person.
3. Post pictures of families.

Story Construction Tip: Attach the arm of the crane (snort) to the crane with a brad. The bucket can be moved up to put baby bird back into the nest.