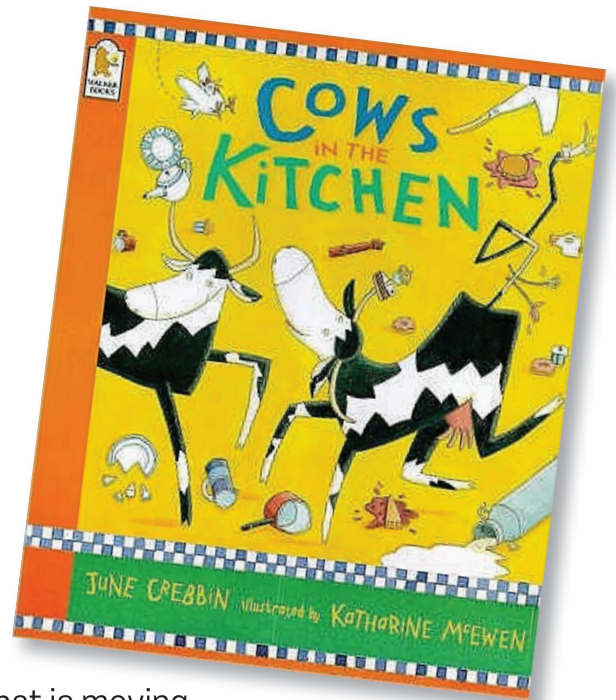


# 10 WAYS TO EXPLORE THIS BOOK

## Cows in the Kitchen

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- 1 **SING** the book using the tune “Skip to My Lou”
- 2 **POINT** out different colors throughout the book
- 3 **SEARCH** for the white mouse on each page
- 4 **SHARE** sounds for the mouse and dog
- 5 **IMITATE** the sounds of each animal
- 6 **COUNT** the animals on each page
- 7 **SCRIBBLE** together with your child
- 8 **LET** your child trace the dotted lines to follow what is moving
- 9 **STUDY** the details of the pictures and talk about what you see
- 10 **TALK** about where each of the animals should be on the farm (barn, pond, sty, coop, field)

### FIVE WAYS TO DISCOVER ANY BOOK WITH A CHILD

1

Talk about what the book makes you both think or feel.

2

Sing a song that is related to a character or something in the book.

3

Act out parts of the story.

4

Draw a picture of something that happened in the book.

5

Retell the story using the illustrations.

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