

**LISTENING AND ORDERING****Teacher's Notes**

**Language:** cat, cow, dog, donkey, duck, frog, pig, pony, sheep

**Materials:** flashcards of the animals, Tony Mitton recording

1. Show the flashcards of the animals to the class, verifying that they know each one. Blu-tac the flashcards on the board.
2. Ask the children to listen to “Down by the Cool of the Pool”. Which animals did they hear? Move the flashcards the children tell you to another part of the board.
3. Ask the children to listen to “Down by the Cool of the Pool” again. Ask them to put the animals in the order they hear in the story. Re-arrange the flashcards on the board into the order the children tell you.
4. Have the class listen until they have got the order correct.