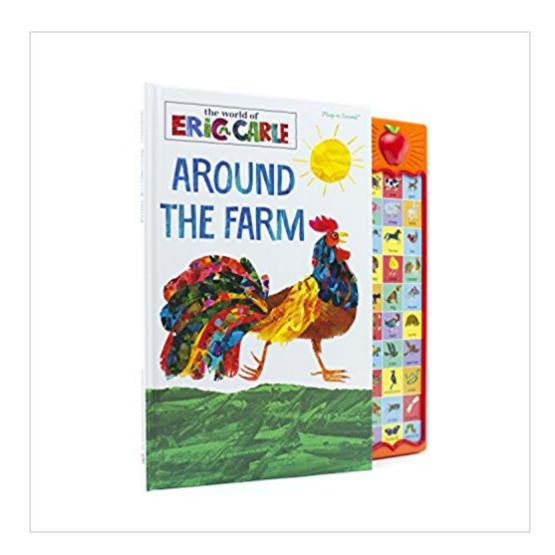


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# Eric Carle: Around The Farm: Play-a-Sound





## Synopsis

The World of Eric Carle Around the Farm Sound Book has an attached 30-button audio module that enables children to connect sound to 30 unique animal illustrations by artist Eric Carle. Each button represents an animal, bird, or insect that might be found on a farm. Press the button to hear the name of the creature and a sound associated with it. The book is recommended for children ages 3 years and older. Here is the list of the animals in the book: bull, cow, goat, pig, sheep, lamb, donkey, horse, hen, turkey, chick, rooster, cat, dog, mouse, frog, duck, turtle, fish, crow, sparrow, owl, woodpecker, snake, rabbit, cricket, dragonfly, bee, butterfly, and Eric Carleâ ™s famous very hungry caterpillar. The World of Eric Carle Around the Farm Sound Book conforms to the toy safety requirements of ASTM F963-08. Three replaceable long-life AG-13 button cell batteries that power the sound module are included.

### **Book Information**

Series: Eric Carle Misc. Supplies: 24 pages Publisher: PUBNI (February 1, 2013) Language: English ISBN-10: 1450805752 ISBN-13: 978-1450805759 Product Dimensions: 0.5 x 10.8 x 11.5 inches Shipping Weight: 1.3 pounds (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 stars 299 customer reviews Best Sellers Rank: #31,055 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #29 in Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Poetry > Nursery Rhymes #225 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Science Studies > Nature #537 in Books > Children's Books > Science, Nature & How It Works

### **Customer Reviews**

I know this book is for ages 3 and up, but I purchased it for my 16-month-old daughter, thinking she would enjoy hearing such a wide variety of animal sounds as we read through the book. And, she does enjoy it! The illustrations by Eric Carle are also nice, as always. However, here is something to keep in mind if you're also buying this for a younger child: the buttons are VERY hard to push. I can manage to push them myself, of course, but my daughter gets very frustrated when she tries. She has the dexterity to press them, no problem, it just requires a LOT of pressure/force to get them to

work. She sits there and presses - and grunts! - until her little finger turns red, but only can get a few to work. Then she gives up and moves on to something else. I know this is for ages 3 and up, but it seems like it would be easy enough to make the buttons a little easier to press, so younger kids can use them!So a fun book for toddlers, but make sure they have the strength to use it easily!

Wonderful illustrations and superb clarity in the sound effects. Only caveat is the thin paper pages (not hard laminated pages like many other children sound books). Baby will most likely end up tearing pages!

my baby absolutely love it!!! He talks a lot when he looks at it. His book almost dead.

My almost 2 year old granddaughter loves this book, and it entertains her greatly on car rides. There are many buttons to push with animal sounds and the sound quality is very good and the animal sounds very authentic. She especially loves the turkey. The one thing that I suppose is fine but a bit odd is that a few of the buttons, such as the butterfly and the caterpillar have short musical tunes to represent the pictured creature. They are fun for a baby, but when the vast majority of the animal buttons make the true sound made by those animals when pushed, it seems a bit incongruous from an educational standpoint to have just a few of the buttons not be the actual sound of the animal represented on the button (because, of course, caterpillars and butterflies make no sound). But in the end, it is a sturdy, toddler proof book that stands up to being dropped and she loves it and wants to play with it with over and over, so I am very pleased with this purchase, and it would be a big hit for an 18 month to 2 year old as a gift.

This is a cute and educational sound book. It is educational because it says the animals name before it makes the sound. The sounds are very realistic. The drawings in the book are very colorful. There are just enough words on each page to keep a child's attention. The pages are glossy which make the pages thicker than in normal books. A few people wrote that not all of the sound buttons worked. After reading those reviews, I made sure to check each button before I took the shrink wrap off of the book. I ordered this book with confidence because I knew if something was wrong with this book, would replace it. (That's why I checked the buttons before I took the shrink wrap off.)

I like sound books a lot to engage my daughter almost from her 6 months + age. she likes pressing on things and getting excited for any sounds she hear back as a response. I saw this book in toys r

us near by n took one for my friend n one for mt daughter. After going home I wanted to surprise her with it but it didn't work :(, next day I returned it in Toys r us as a defective product and ordered from . it reached in very short time as promised and was in good working condition.my daughter loves this book a lot and associates the animal on each page and the small picture on the right side bar. she tries making all the animal sounds how the book makes.Only one small problem with this book is , to get to hear the sound you have to press it in very center of the small picture. Toddlers shall not have big fingers and really can't have much patience to focus and press. All they see is the picture and would like to press on the picture to hear the sound. but this doesn't work that way, initially my daughter used to frustrate a lot due to this nature and throw this book away with angry because it didn't give the expected sounds. By spending some extra time with her in showing how center she has to press to hear some how now she is ok with this book.

Great book. I've got another one, too. But the worm, butterfly, etc. are kind of silly. They don't make sounds, so they put music instead. They should have put other animals instead...

Our 21 month old is really into animal sounds (she loves puzzles and books), so I thought she would enjoy hearing this instead of hearing me attempt them! I was right! She loves it. She laughs and pushes the buttons along with the prompts from the book and with some help from me. The age says 3+, and I would agree with that. The pages are paper and not a board book, so she will not get to play with this one without one of us. The words in the book are short and simple and age appropriate.

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