

Middle school (ages 11 - 13)

POLLITO TITO



TheFableCottage.com after-reading
activities

Directions

Print this packet out after you read **Pollito Tito** at TheFableCottage.com.

Learning objectives

These activities will help you learn and practice these things from the story:

1. Animals
2. Prepositional phrases describing movement: towards the pond, through the village, across the field, up a hill, into the cave
3. Neither _____ nor _____

AFTER-READING ACTIVITY

Character hunt

DIRECTIONS: Can you remember all six animals from the story? First, write down as many animals names as you can remember in **Spanish**. Then, listen to the story again at TheFableCottage.com and check your answers. Write the English translations in the second column.

Spanish	English
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
6. _____	_____

Now, see if you can answer these questions in **Spanish** using your new animal vocabulary.

1. Which animal was “completely normal”? _____
2. Which animals were reading poetry? _____ & _____
3. Which animal was taking a bath? _____
4. Which animal wrote the news story about the sky falling? _____

AFTER-READING ACTIVITY

Help the dog detective find the animals!

DIRECTIONS: All the local animals have gone missing! Don't worry. Darnell the Dog Detective is on the case and he's making notes in his Detective Notebook.

Follow the footprints on the map. At each stopping place, write the **prepositional phrase** from the chart that makes the most sense.

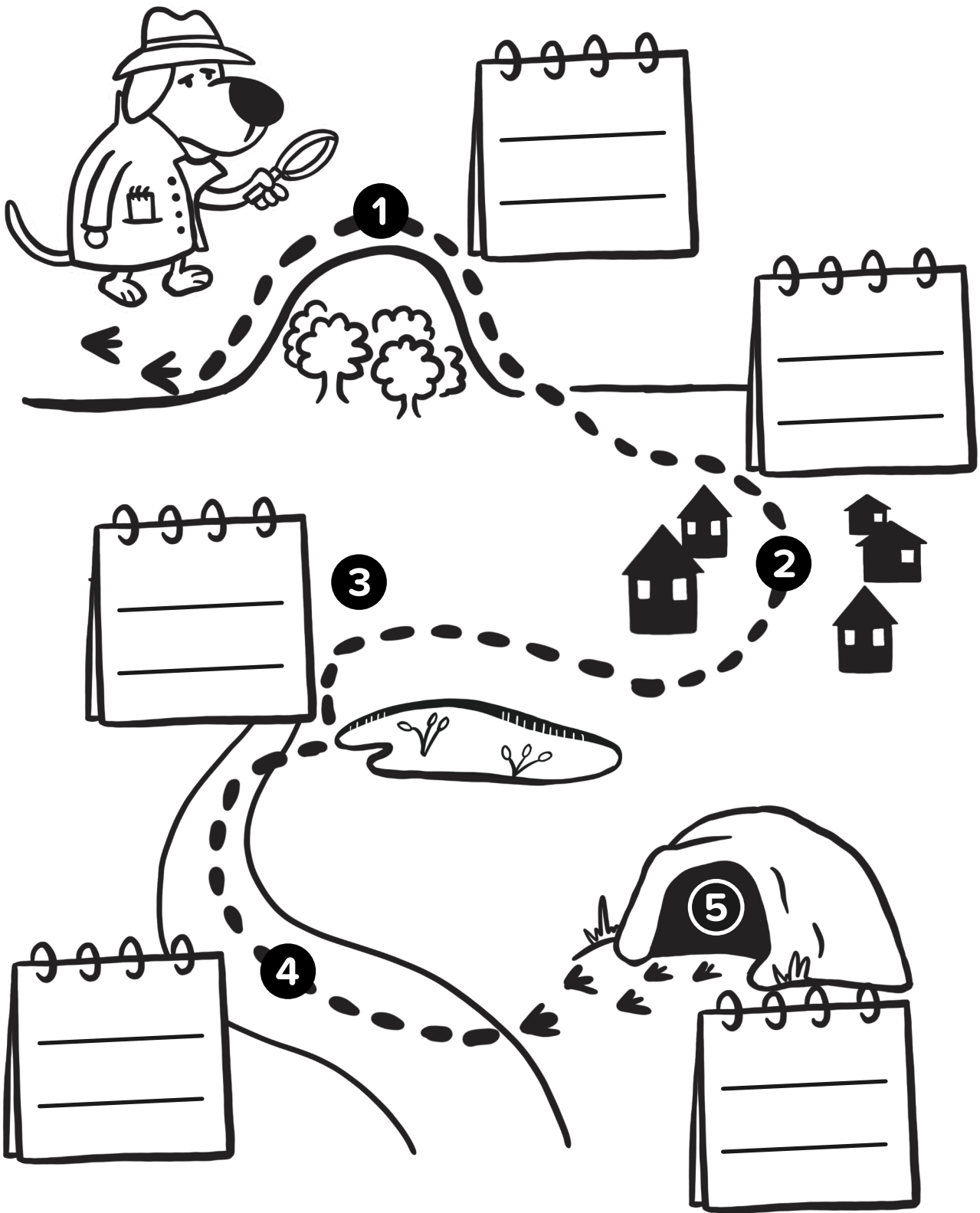
Remember, the Dog Detective speaks **Spanish**, so his notes should be written in **Spanish**. If you need help translating these, read **Pollito Tito** again.



Prepositional phrases

towards the pond	down the road
through the village	across the field
up the hill	into the cave





AFTER-READING ACTIVITY

“A completely normal chicken”

DIRECTIONS: We heard lots of descriptions of **Pollito Tito** at the beginning of the story that used the structure: **neither** _____ **nor** _____.

Can you remember how to say that in **Spanish**? Listen to the beginning of the story again, and write down the translations for the phrases below:



English	Spanish
He is neither tall nor short	
He is neither fat nor thin	
He is neither smart nor stupid	

Now try writing one of your own. What else can you say about **Pollito Tito** using neither _____ nor _____? You might need to look up new words in Spanish.

English	Spanish
He is neither _____ nor _____	