

DAILY LIFE ON THE LAREDO FARM IN 1840

Subject:

History / English Language Arts

Grades: 2-4

Skills:

- Critical thinking
- Visualization
- Reflection

Materials:

- Pencils
- Colored Pencils/
Crayons
- Worksheets

Standards for Teaching / Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills:

Grade 2:

113.13 Social Studies

110.4 English Language Arts and Reading

117.108 Art

Grade 3:

113.14 Social Studies

110.14 English Language Arts and Reading

117.111 Art

Grade 4:

113.15 Social Studies

110.15 English Language Arts and Reading

Instructions:

Review the Unit of Daily Life to learn more about life in Laredo, Texas during 1840 which was the time of the Republic of the Rio Grande. Work with an adult — like a teacher or family member — to help you with the Unit.

When you are done exploring the unit, use the following pages to color the animals that would be on the farm in Laredo back in 1840.

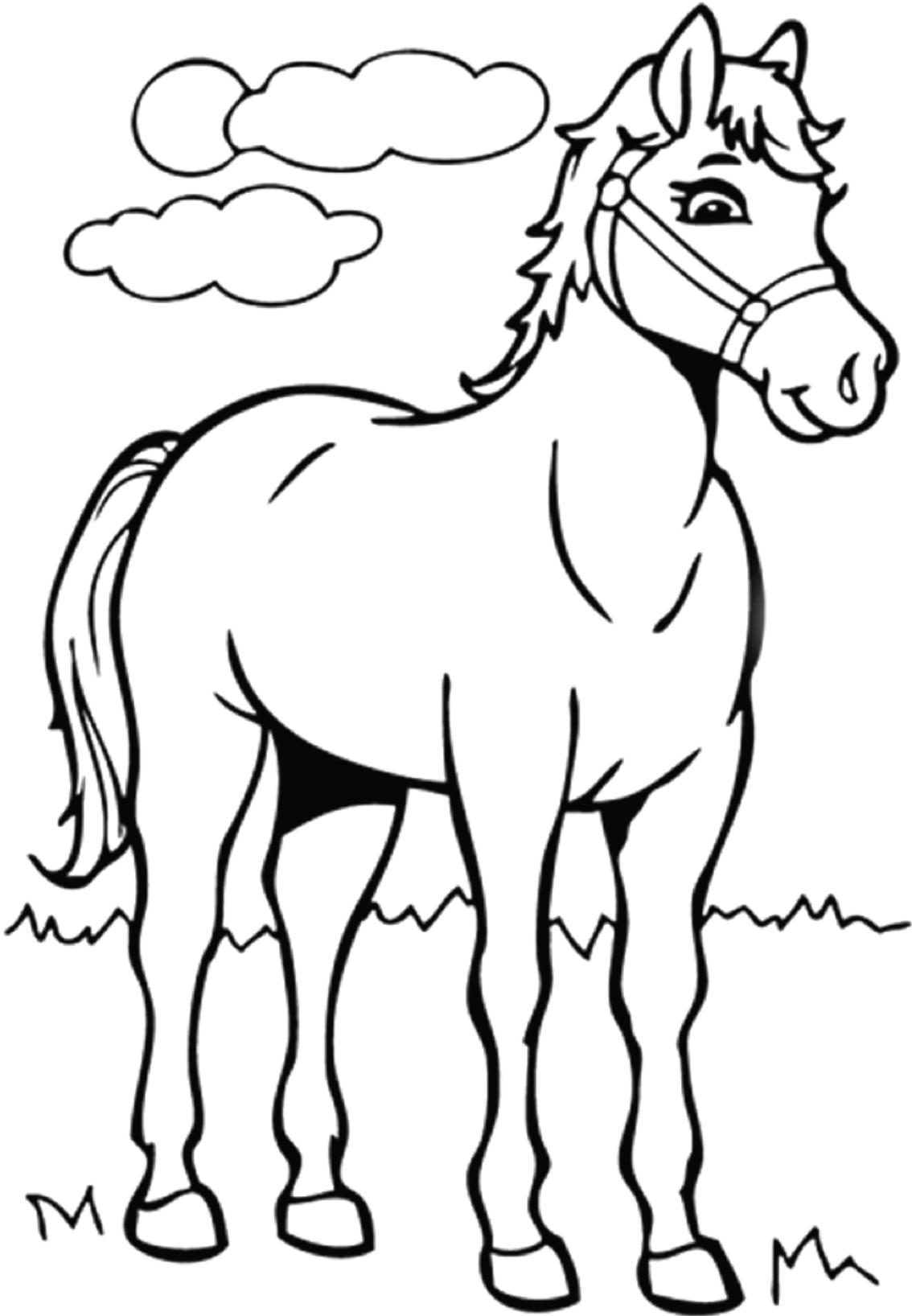
Write the name of the animal in the space provided. The number of letters in the name is indicated with the appropriate number of letter spaces.

Talk with your family and friends about what you think these animals would do on the farm in 1840? What would they do on the farm today? Are there differences or similarities?

On the last page use the word search to find 10 things that might be found on a farm in Laredo in 1840. Hint: most things are animals.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

What is the name of this animal? _____



Why might someone have this animal during the time of the Republic of the Rio Grande?

Why might someone have this animal today?

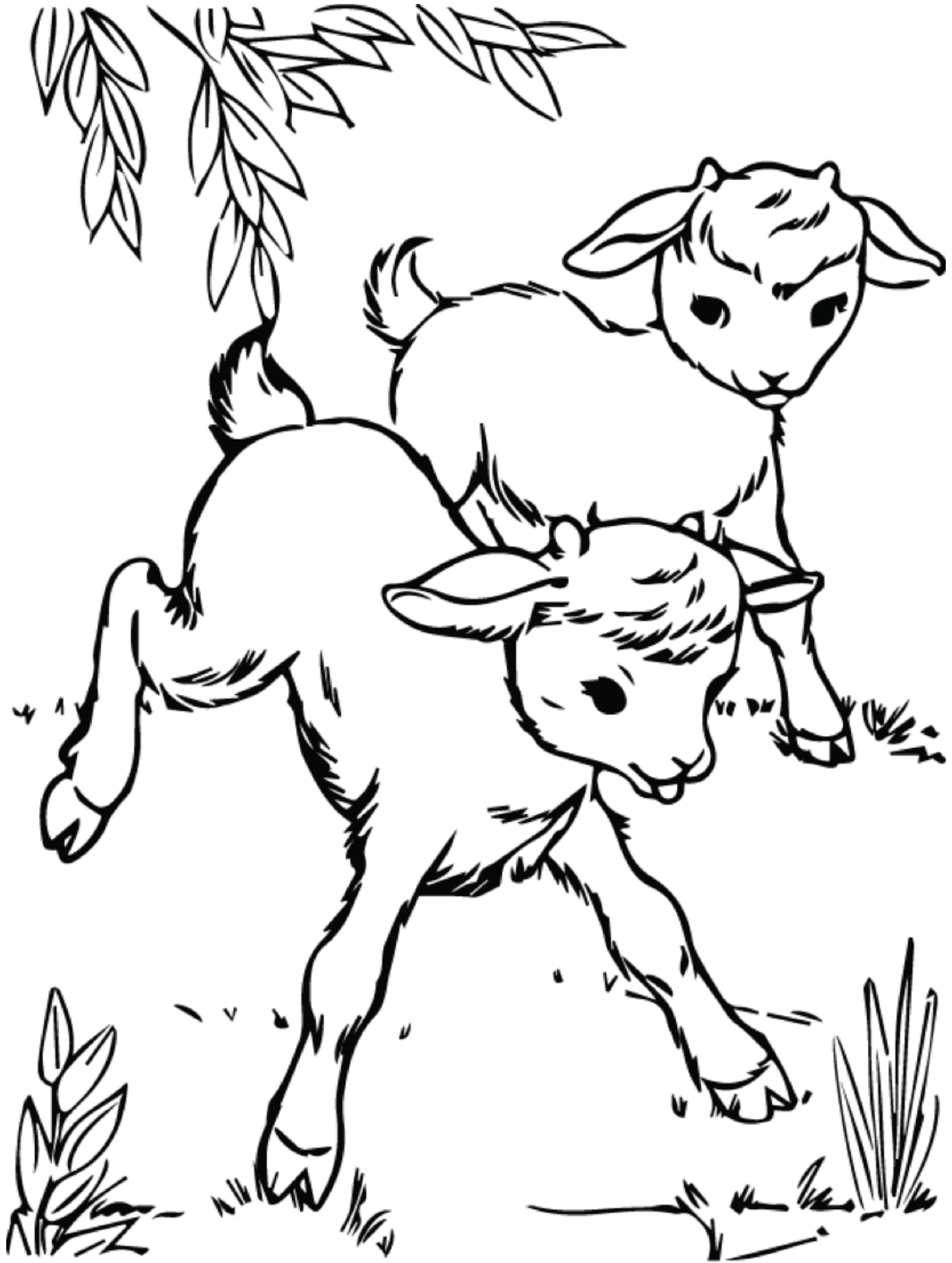
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What tools do we use today that make us not need to have to this animal at home?

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Date: _____

Find 10 things that would be found on an 1840 farm.

X	T	F	W	G	W	M	H	X	R	A	A	Y	L
T	F	C	Q	O	R	G	A	R	D	E	N	A	U
E	Z	A	W	A	P	K	S	X	G	C	L	E	C
R	D	P	T	T	Q	J	E	T	V	D	G	D	O
G	J	F	T	D	D	T	M	N	J	C	I	C	O
L	C	V	O	Q	O	X	V	E	I	K	V	O	K
L	Q	A	P	H	X	N	S	H	E	E	P	R	I
Q	A	M	T	A	F	Y	K	U	M	E	X	R	N
X	E	S	U	T	Q	O	K	E	Q	K	M	A	G
B	P	C	S	E	L	H	V	K	Y	E	C	L	F
Z	A	U	J	O	T	E	O	E	W	Y	T	L	I
Z	P	R	T	V	W	Z	C	R	T	E	H	Y	R
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