

How to get past three farmers

You will need:

- a place to hide
- a good sense of smell
- acute hearing
- a small stone
- patience



Method

1. **First**, **quietly tiptoe** towards to entrance of your den.
2. **Stop before** you reach the entrance.
3. **Then sniff** the air to check how close the farmers are.
4. **Move** forwards **slightly** and **listen carefully** for any sounds.
5. **Use** your senses to work out where the farmers are hiding.
6. **Flatten** your body against the ground to stay hidden.
7. **Wait patiently** and **plan** your escape route.
8. **When** everything is quiet, **throw** a small stone in the opposite direction to your escape route.
9. **While** the farmers are distracted, **run** out of the entrance.
10. **Follow** your escape route, keeping low to the ground.

Time Connectives

Imperative Verbs

Adverbs

You don't have to use this idea. You might instruct Mr Fox to get past the farmers in a different way. Perhaps someone else could help him? Or maybe he could dig a tunnel?