

DISCUSSION

Before Reading:

- What kind of animal is a hen?
- Why do people often have chickens on their farms?

Purpose for Reading:

As you read, think about things that hens do.

After Reading:

- Why do you think hens peck and scratch?
- How many eggs did the hen lay?
- Why is the hen happy on the last page?



The Hen

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Set 1b
Words with Blends & Digraphs

High frequency words: is, a, the, look, has, she



This is a red hen.



The chicks hatch!
The hen is glad.



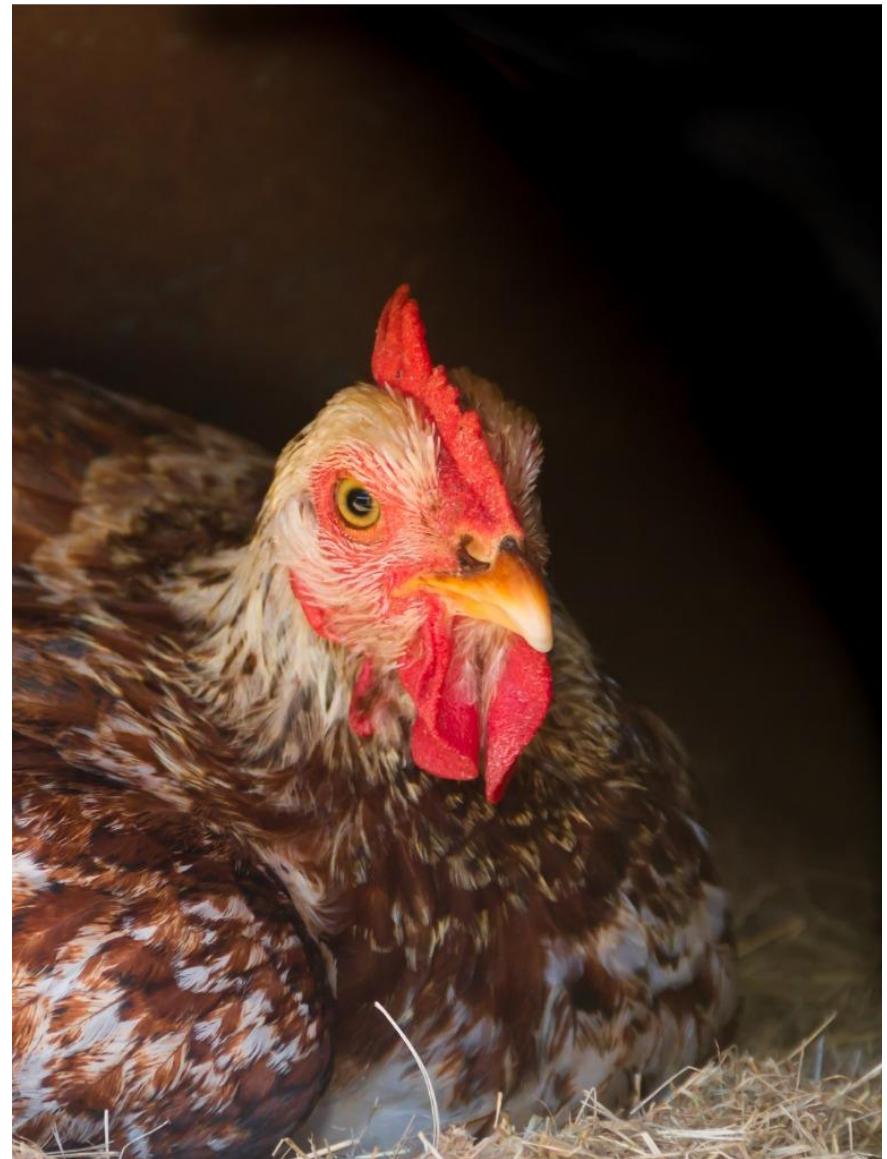
Look! The hen has
seven eggs.



Hens peck and scratch.



This hen sits on a nest.



The hen sits and sits.
She will not quit!