Make The MERL Pecking Hen and Their Chattering Chicks

**You will need:**
- 1 printed sheet of the Pecking Hen
- 1 printed sheet of chattering chicks
- Colouring pencils
- Scissors
- Glue

**Method**
1. Colour in the hen. Carefully cut out the body, wings, and combs
2. Fold body exactly in half along the broken line.
3. Glue the hen’s head together and then glue comb to the top of each side of the hen’s head.
4. Glue wings to the body indicated by the grey broken lines, one wing to each side of the hen’s body.
5. Open the breast about 3cm apart and place your hen on a flat surface, gently nudge the hen to rock back and forth to start pecking.
6. Repeat this process for each of the Chattering Chicks.

If you don’t have thin card for printing, print onto standard copy paper and then glue to a thin card such as a cereal box or craft card.