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# Hatching

This is my mother.

She is sitting on her eggs.

Inside each egg a chick is growing.

One of them is me.





I start to chip around the  
inside of my eggshell.



I push my shell apart.



At last I am free.

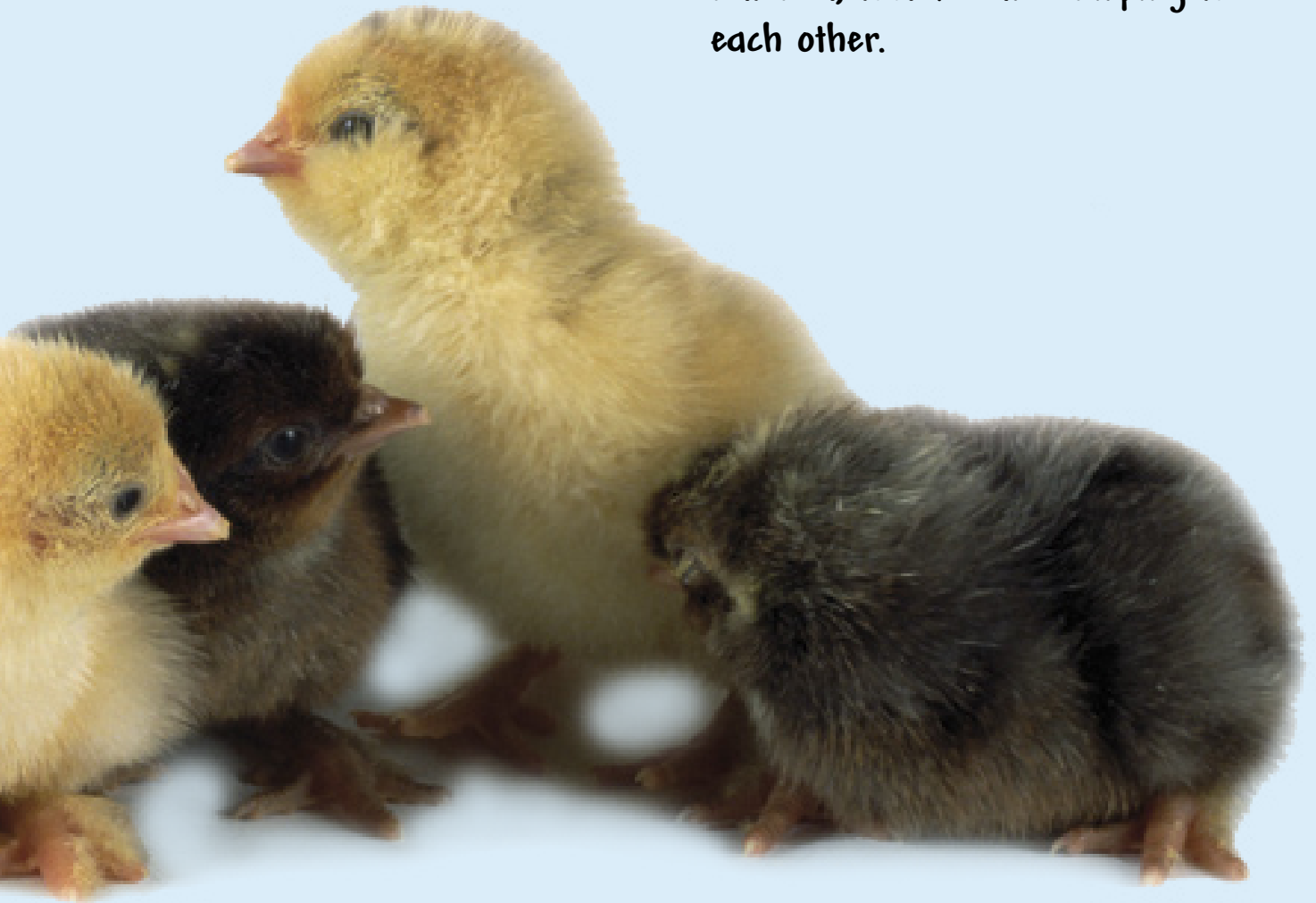


# Out of the egg

I am one hour old. My feathers have dried and now they are soft and downy.



My brothers and sisters have hatched, too. We are chirping to each other.



# Learning to feed

I am three days old and I am feeling hungry.

My mother is eating seed.

How does she do it?

I watch her carefully.



I stretch up and take the seed from her beak.



It tastes so good I decide to peck some myself.

# A drink of water

I am eight days old now.  
New feathers are  
growing on my wings.



What is Mom doing?  
She is dipping her beak  
into a bowl of water.



I hop into the bowl.

The water is cool and wet.

My sister is getting in, too!



# False alarm

I am two weeks old.

Today I am looking for  
food with my mother.



My mother is flapping her wings.  
She clucks at us to run away.  
Is something wrong?





It is a false alarm.  
Nothing is wrong.  
Mom calls us back.



# Meeting Dad

I am four weeks old now.  
I am growing bigger  
every day.



Here is my father.  
Look how big he is!



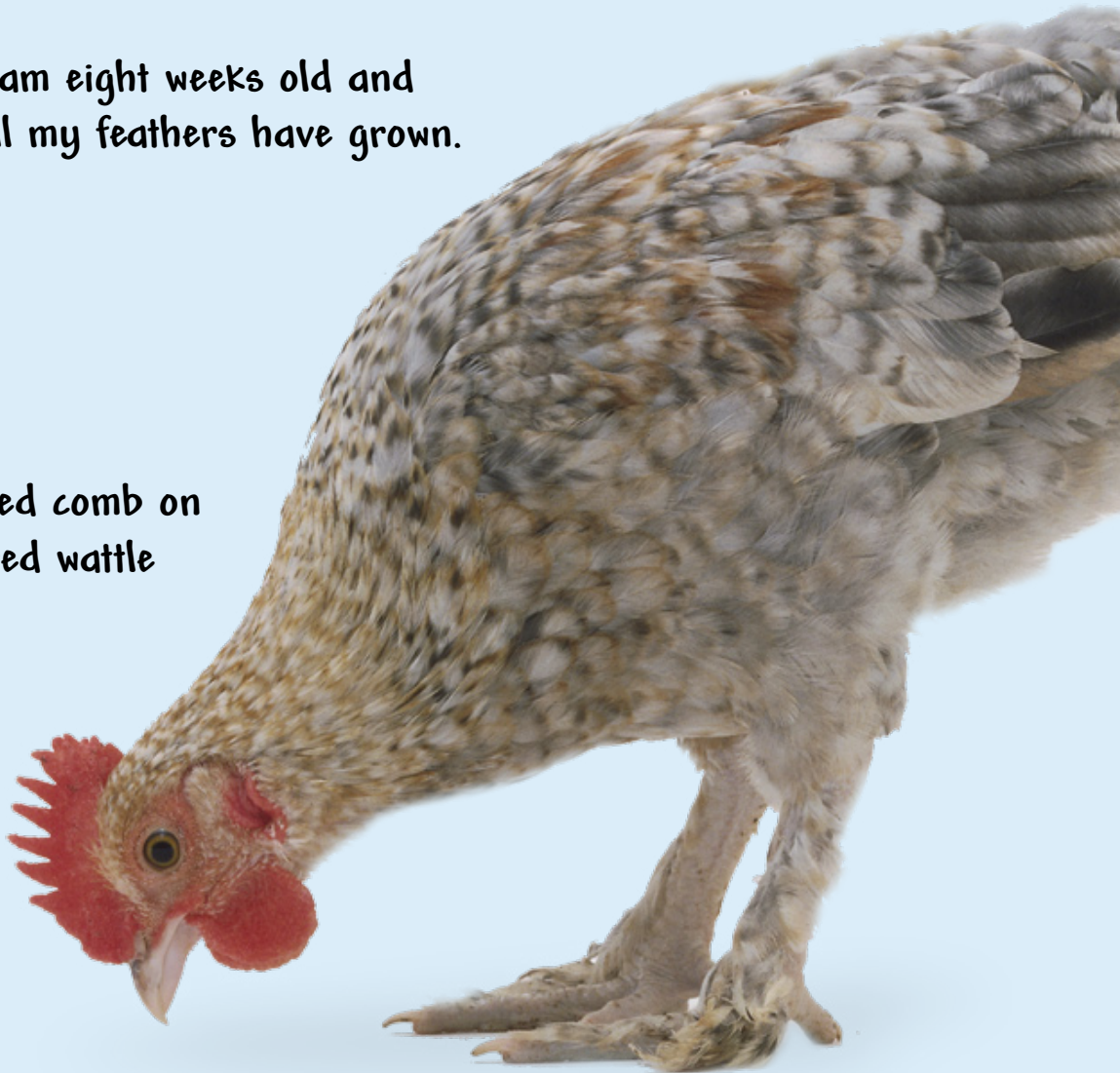
Dad is very friendly.  
He lets me ride on his back.



# Growing bigger

I am eight weeks old and  
all my feathers have grown.

I have a bright red comb on  
my head and a red wattle  
under my beak.



I am big and  
strong. At last I can  
take care of myself.



I use my beak to  
keep myself neat and clean.  
I am proud of my fine feathers.

# See how I grew



The egg



Just hatched



Three days old



Eight days old



Two weeks old



Four weeks old



Eight weeks old









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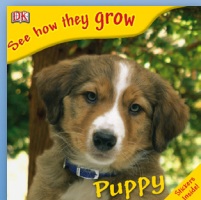
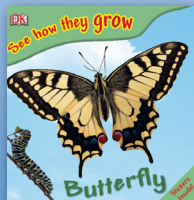


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