

Dear Families,

We have had an excellent week in school - the children are busy getting into new routines for phonics and are picking up their sounds quickly. This week we have been learning the new sounds:

g

o

c

k

Please have a go at practicing your sounds at home. If you wish, it is great to see the children practicing letter forms.

This week we have been learning about "The three little pigs!". We have decorated pig biscuits, made playdough pigs, printed brick walls and made cardboard houses of straw. We have also made pigs out of 2D shapes in our maths learning this week.

You can see photos of our biscuit learning on the wall in the classroom - come and have a look!

Next week, we will be learning about "The three Billy Goats Gruff". To help us with our learning, please could you bring in **empty toilet rolls** (we will be building bridges!).

For home learning this week, we would like the children to **have a go at drawing a picture of the story of "The Three Little Pigs"**. If you can, you could also write down what your child says about the story - what do they remember?

Finally, could we also ask that you return your child's reading book with their folder on a Thursday so that we can change their book. Unfortunately, we do need to have the book returned before this can be changed.

Many thanks!

The Reception Team