
Booris' Corner

Dear kids,

This month I'd like you to meet Allan John Murray of Erskineville, Sydney, who sent in a suggestion on how to make a piggy bank. This is important, because *making* a piggy bank is fun, and *using* it to save your money for something you *really* want is very good habit to get into. You might think that the best thing to do with money when you get it is to rush out and buy some sweets, but try saving it sometime and see how nice it is to have a bigger sum of money for something that you've always wanted.

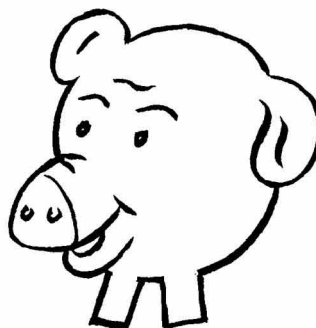


But first, let's make our piggy bank, like Allan has suggested:



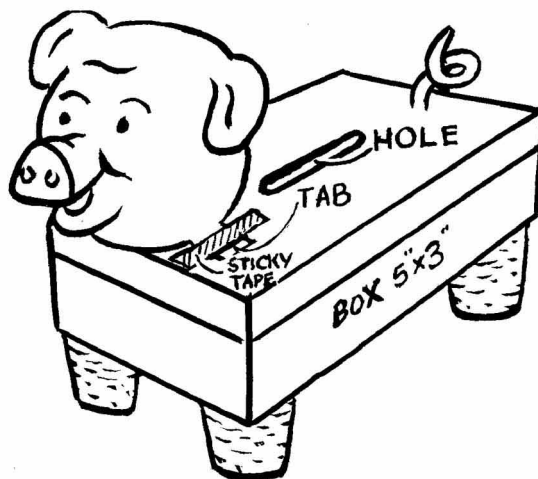
Cross my heart
...I love you!!

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Draw a pig's head onto a piece of stiff white paper or cardboard. Cut it out with scissors, not forgetting to leave two tabs on the bottom.

Then, get a cardboard box about 5 in x 3 in big. In the lid, cut a hole about the size of a penny, or a 20c piece. Put the head on one end by sticking the tabs onto the box with sticky tape. A piece of pipe cleaner makes a tail, and ordinary bottle corks turn into feet!



Dear Pete,

I love getting NEW DAWN and I like reading your page. Mummy helps me with words I don't know. I have four brothers and three sisters but I am the only brown one and I am seven years old. I like school and I play with clay and paste and clag. I like painting, too. I have two cats, two canaries, two guinea pigs, one dog called Pete, and a budgie and a gold-fish called Pedro.

Love,

Rhonda Livesay

(Oh, so you *do* still love me! I was beginning to wonder . . . I'll tell you a secret, though . . . I love you all, whether you write to me or not, *really*. . . But I *do* like getting letters. . .)

Finished? Now—start saving!!

Pete