

Three Little Pigs – Comparing Houses



The Three Little Pigs live in this little brick house on Fairytale Lane, but lately, they have been thinking about moving somewhere new. These are two houses the pigs are interested in, and your job as their estate agent is to help them choose one! Look closely at the features and materials of the houses below and decide on one as a group. Write an advertisement using headings and underlining to emphasise why the pigs should buy the house.



Three Little Pigs – Houses Around the World

Sometimes houses are built from different materials depending on the climate they are in. Use the internet, an atlas or a map to determine which location from the word bank matches the coordinates below. Then, match the location to a house you think would suit the climate.

Location	Coordinates
1.	4.2699° S, 138.0804° E
2.	58.7684° N, 94.1650° W
3.	31.1458° N, 3.9678° W
4.	10.4037° N, 85.7897° W
5.	53.8578° N, 1.5023° W
6.	40.7128° N, 74.0059° W

New York, USA	Papua, Indonesia	Churchill, Canada
Erg Chebbi, Morocco	Leeds, UK	Brasilito, Costa Rica



a.



b.



c.



d.



e.



f.



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Three Little Pigs – Building Materials

Objects like houses are often made from lots of different materials depending on the climate they are built in. Look at the pictures below. Using the word bank, decide what climate each house might be in. Then discuss why you think these materials were used in each climate. Use the internet, an atlas or a dictionary to help you.



Temperate	Polar
Arid	Tropical

Which climate would you like to live in? Discuss with the members of your group.

Three Little Pigs – Designing a New House

It's moving day and the pigs are fed up with living in a temperate climate! Can you work together to design a new house for them? First, decide as a group what climate the pigs will be moving to: a tropical rainforest, arid desert or icy arctic. Then design your house with at least these features: a door, some windows, walls, a roof, and a chimney. It should also be very strong in case any wolves turn up to blow it down! Feel free to add any other features you think the pigs would enjoy.

Remember to label all the features and materials found on your design!

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