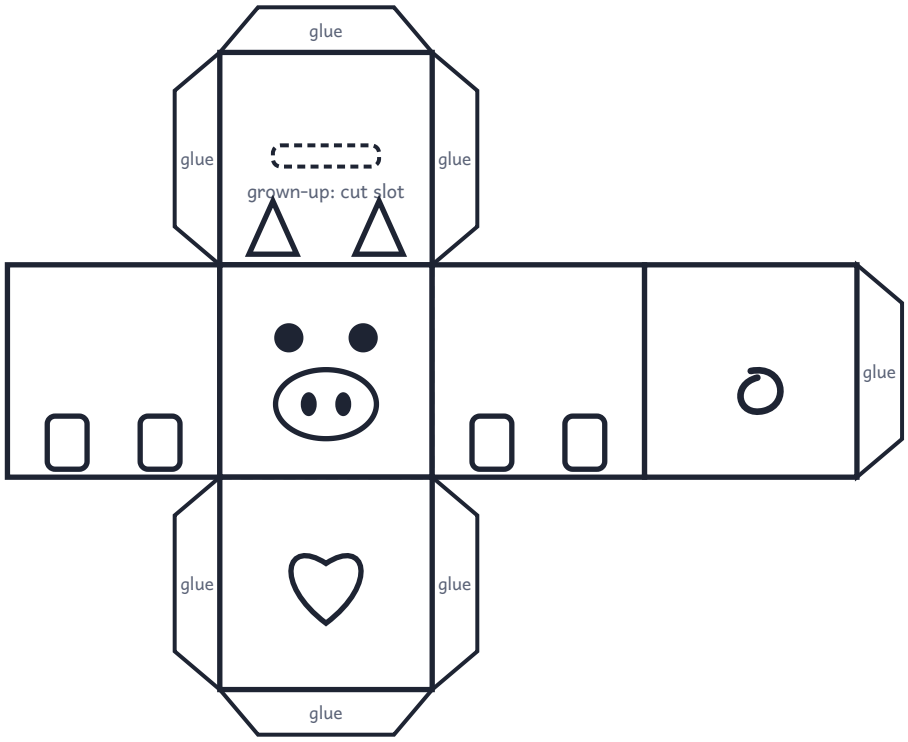
Fold-a-Piggy-Bank

Name _____ Date _____

Make your own piggy bank! Color it. Cut on the solid lines. Fold on the dashed lines. Glue the tabs.

Grown-ups: cut the coin slot and help with gluing. Thick paper works best.



MY MONEY CHOICE

Give your bank a name and your first saving goal.

My bank is named _____

I am saving for _____

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The quick lesson (read aloud, about 1 minute)

> A **piggy bank** keeps our savings safe in one place. When money is in the bank, it's not in our pocket, so we're less likely to spend it by accident. Grown-ups use real banks for the same reason. A goal helps us remember *why* we're saving.

Two teaching points

1. Saving means keeping money for later.
2. A goal makes saving easier.

Answer key

No answer key: it's a craft. Check that the slot is cut before gluing, and that all 7 tabs are glued inside. Ask each child to say their goal out loud.

10-minute run

1. Color the bank (4 min).
2. Grown-up helps cut and fold.
3. Name it and write the goal.

Ask

"What will you put in your bank first?"

Goal

A bank is a safe place to keep savings, and saving works best with a goal.

Take it further

Keep the banks in class for a week. Each day, talk about one thing you could save for.

Standard: National Standards for Personal Financial Education (Council for Economic Education and Jump$tart), area: **Saving**. Print double-sided: the activity on the front, this teaching side on the back.

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