

The farmers' most important job is to look after the health and welfare of their pigs.

Adult pigs eat barley and wheat and are also

fed on by-products

from dairies, distilleries,

and bakeries.

Pigs can't see very well but have a very good sense of smell.

Pork is a good source of protein that helps our bodies grow and repair.

A sow is pregnant for 3 months, 3 weeks and 3 days.

Pig farming - did you know?

A female pig that has had piglets (baby pigs) is called a sow. Male pigs are called boars.

About 50% of the UK pig herd is reared outdoors and are housed in small huts called arks.

Pigs can't sweat, so they roll in mud to cool down.

Word Search

Can you find the farming words hidden in the word search?

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field ark mud					sow piglet boar				pork sausage farmer			

What did you see on your farm visit today?

We'd love to see your drawing skills. Is there anything that inspired you?