

Year R Autumn Term 2008
Our topics this half term are Little Red
Hen, Autumn and Harvest

- During our topic of the little red hen we will be learning the story with actions in order for the children to be able to sequence the story. We will be role playing the story in our little red hen village.
- Our village bakery needs some bread and buns. The children will use salt dough to make items for sale in their bakery shop.
- As part of our link with harvest the children will be making their own bread to share as well as taking part in a harvest assembly led by our local vicar.
- The children have already enjoyed an autumn walk around our school grounds and created their own thoughts for autumn. Come and see their work on the display boards by the hall.
- As part of our creative development we will be using our collage skills to make masks of the different characters from the little red hen.
- The children will be counting their pennies as they go to the bakers shop—we hope they have enough money to buy a bun!

Suggested activities to do together at home

- The children have been learning about our 7 school golden rules. Can they tell you all 7 rules?
- Practice counting out pennies. Remember to touch each penny as you count it.
- Ask your children to tell you the story of the Little Red Hen—can you join in with their actions?
- Ask your children if they can tell you any of the letter sounds we have learning. What can they find that begins with these letters—go on a letter walk.
- Go to the bakery with your children and let them help you decide what you need.
- Make some bread based products of your own, bread rolls, iced buns, pizza bases. Talk about how measure out the ingredients and how to follow a recipe.



Little Red Hen likes to go to Rosie's
Restaurant. Can you design a menu for the
restaurant?

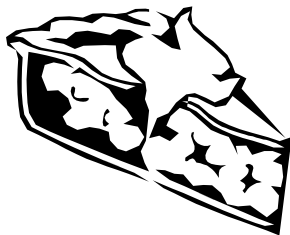
The Little Red Hen wants to go to bakers shop. She has got 10 pennies in her purse. How many different combinations of buns and cakes can she buy?



4p



1p



2p



5p