

**BOOK:
*A SACKFUL OF FEATHERS***

Available on Tumblebooks; A.R. Level 3.7

This folktale teaches a great lesson.

ACTIVITY: Make your feather bookmark so each time you read you can look at the bookmark, and remember the lesson you learned in the story.

**BOOK:
*ANANSI AND THE POT OF BEANS***

Available on Hoopla; A.R. Level 2.9

ACTIVITY: After you read the book, make the Spider Doorhanger Craft

**BOOK:
*CONTEST BETWEEN THE SUN AND THE WIND***

Available on Tumblebooks; A.R. Level 2.8

ACTIVITY: After you read this story, color your sunshine wind flag.

**BOOK:
*THE CLEVER BOY AND THE TERRIBLE DANGEROUS ANIMAL***

Available on Tumblebooks; A.R. Level 3.2

ACTIVITY: Read the story and then make a summer watermelon wreath

**SPECIAL GUEST STORY TIME:
THE THREE LITTLE PIGS
Thursday, July 16th at 10:30am**

Watch this outstanding Story Time presented by Kerrie Hoffner's "The Imagination Plantation." Tune in to our YouTube channel ([YouTube.com/decaturlib](https://www.youtube.com/decaturlib)) to watch the event. While it premieres at 10:30am on July 16th, it will remain available until July 29th. Remember to listen for the key word to get your points in READSquared.

After you watch the program, you can create the three little pigs' houses with our [coloring page!](#)

More fun...

- Watch the National Geographic video "Climate and Weather" on Tumblebooks.
- You won't believe all the options you have to read nonfiction books about spiders! Hoopla has many books full of facts just on your level. Anansi is a spider in one of our folktales to read this week, but spiders are very different from the imaginary Anansi.
- Our Anansi story also features beans. We eat a lot of beans in Alabama: beans in soup, beans and cornbread, chili, and baked beans. We included a **baked beans recipe** this week, so cook some beans. Yum! (You'll need help from an adult for this one.)
- Show your library love! Draw and color the **book template** to show your favorite book, part of a book, or character from a book. Once you've finished bring it into the library and give it to Ms. Mary or Ms. Anna. Don't forget to fill out the other side of the book with your vote for what you missed most about the library!

Week 8 To-Go Kit will be available for pick-up on **Friday, July 17th**
We will have more fun reading adventures!

TO-GO KIT: WEEK 7

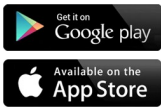
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