



Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March



As it was Shrove Tuesday this week Mrs Armstrong and Mrs McDonald started Monday morning by making pancakes. It all went a bit wrong when they forgot to read the instructions! The children have learnt all about the features of instructions and have had a go at writing their own instructions to make pancakes.

We also celebrated World Book Day on Friday. It was great to see everyone's fantastic costumes and we had fun reading lots of stories. Please check out Class Dojo for pictures.

In Maths Nursery have been learning about sharing objects fairly and knowing when two groups have the same amount. Reception have been learning about money, recognizing coins and paying for items using the right amount.

A letter has been sent out about **Mothers' Day** craft sessions, please see your keyworker if you need more information.

### Notice Board/Dates for your Diary

#### TOPIC –Food and Growth

- **Nursery Trip to Smithills Farm Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**
- We have an EYFS Parents Email which you are welcome to send any comments or enquiries to: [eyfsparents@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:eyfsparents@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk)
- Please can we remind parents not to bring any toys into school- this causes distress if any get mislaid.
- Please can we remind parents to ensure that hair accessories such as bows must be in school colours; blue and yellow.
- Children are still wearing shoes with laces when they cannot tie them. Please ensure that children have Velcro or buckle shoes.

### At Home

Ideas to help at home – Shape of the week is oval.

**Reception homework: Pancake instructions and money homework.**

Encourage your child to practise writing their tricky words The, to, I, no, go, we, me, be, he, she.

Encourage children to write their names.

### **Child's Voice**

Logan: "You need flour, eggs and milk."

Anaya: "Mix it"

Naomi: "You need to whisk the mixture."

Lyra: "I love learning with you"

Nicholas: "I've got 90p"

### General Reminders

- Please remember to preorder your child's school dinner.
- Please check out our website blog and leave any comments!: [www.pikefold.manchester.sch.uk](http://www.pikefold.manchester.sch.uk) and click on the EYFS page.
- Please ensure your child has a **spare change of clothes** (these can stay in our blue peg bags at school).
- Please remember to email us any parent observations you do at home with your child- any queries please ask.