



Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February



This week started with a very exciting hook. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. McDonald were making pancakes like a double act. First, Mrs. Armstrong said pour the flour, crack the egg, pour the milk and she did not say in the **owl**. This caused a commotion as Mrs. McDonald poured and cracked the ingredients onto the **table**! The children were screaming 'noooooo!' Next, Mrs. Armstrong asked the children to help her put the instructions in the correct **order** and tell Mrs. McDonald what to do **carefully**. The children have been sequencing the instructions and writing them in their writing books. We even enjoyed eating some pancakes on Shrove Tuesday.

In Maths all of the children have been developing some early division skills, by sharing pancakes between the characters at the teddy's party. We used the language: share, fair, equal, same.

#### Notice Board/Dates for your Diary

#### TOPIC – Pancakes/Dinosaurs

- 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)
- BOOK WEEK and World Book Day. Please see the letter and the posters around school for further information,
- Next week RECEPTION children must have their PE kit in school. All items must be labelled and the kit bag should be labelled too. Thanks in advance.
- Easter Bonnet Parade on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April at 2pm. All children are required to make an Easter Bonnet at home. Please see the letter for more information and ideas.

#### At Home

Shape of the week: Triangle

**Reception Homework** – Design a pancake with your favourite toppings, write a caption or a super sentence to tell us about your chosen toppings.

Maths – Sharing the leaves with the minibeasts.

Encourage children to write their names and recognise and count numbers.

#### Pupil voice

Naomi: "I've played with my friend Eva this week, we played teachers, and we wrote letters and sounds".

Zoya: "I played with the dollies". Do you like being the mummy? "Yes!"

Cobyn: "Miss put everything on the table and it was naughty and funny". Which was your favourite bit? "Everything. I like pancakes!"

#### General Reminders

- 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).
- If you have any materials at home we could use for junk modelling (not toilet rolls) please bring in!