

3rd February 2017



Dear Parents,

In maths this week the children have been looking at symmetry and identifying shapes that do and don't have lines of symmetry. They drew their own half of a mirror image for another child to complete. We looked at how our faces are not symmetrical and talked about vertical, horizontal and diagonal lines of symmetry. The children also completed an arithmetic test and showed me that they have some great methods to support their learning.

During English the children have been reading 'Mama Panya's Pancakes!' This story inspired us to make pancakes using her recipe, which we will make this next week and taste. There is chilli (mild) in the ingredients, please let me know if this is an issue for your child at all. They will only be tasting a small piece. We have been working on using speech marks correctly and also thinking about a character's thoughts and feelings.

Thank you for your kind donations for Wateraid.org. We raised £60 which has been sent to them already. The children had a great time carrying water on their heads and trying to get as much water from one end of the line to the other. I have to say, they spilt quite a lot!

The children have made clay pots and I am hoping to have them fired over the half term for painting next term.

Kind regards,

Mrs Wardle and Mrs Patterson