## **Calton Playgroup News**

A very warm welcome back to all our Calton families, we hope you have had a lovely half term. We are so excited to be back especially as Spring is just around the corner and Shrove Tuesday was one of the first jobs for the week!

Not only did we have enormous joy in decorating pancakes with lots of healthy and unhealthy toppings before eating every last crumb! But we also had a huge amount of fun playing with gloop made to look like pancake batter, making and decorating pretend pancakes and frying pans, and having a go at a bit of real pancake tossing too!

















Furthermore the children have really loved learning about the Colour Monster. They have helped him understand what his different feelings are which are shown as different colours and have helped him sort them into jars after they had got all mixed up inside him. Colour Monster has also helped us to recognise and talk about our own feelings too.





Last but not least we are really delighted to welcome Shannon to our playgroup team. Shannon will be working with all our children and will be some of the children's key worker. We are also super excited to have Bridget back at playgroup on Monday.

All the best

**Calton Playgroup Team**