

If You Give a Pig a Pancake Activities

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Pancakes for Breakfast!

What better way to introduce a new story than to make a yummy treat together!

Ingredients:

- 1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
- 3 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon white sugar
- 1 1/4 cups milk
- 1 egg
- 3 tablespoons butter, melted

1. In a large bowl, sift together the flour, baking powder, salt and sugar. Make a well in the center and pour in the milk, egg and melted butter; mix until smooth.
2. Heat a lightly oiled griddle or frying pan over medium high heat. Pour or scoop the batter onto the griddle, using approximately 1/4 cup for each pancake. Brown on both sides and serve hot.

<https://www.allrecipes.com/recipe/21014/good-old-fashioned-pancakes/>

Adding Pancakes Game

Materials:

- Brown construction paper or brown paint and paper plates
- Marker
- Kitchen spatula

Prep:
Use brown paint and paper plates or brown construction paper to make circular pancakes. Write numbers on the pancakes and play an addition game with your child.

Play:
Place all the pancakes face down on the floor. Have your child pick two pancakes with a kitchen spatula and add the two numbers together.

Take turns playing and adding. Challenge your child to add three pancakes together!

Retelling

After reading together, flip back through the pages and have your child retell the story using the words and pictures as guides. Talk about the sequence of events using words like:

- “What happens next?”
- “What happens if you give a pig a pancake?”

