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91 said the dog. "Please stop rolling so I can eat
93 you up!"

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109 quickly rolled down the hill
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Questions



1. Who chased the pancake?



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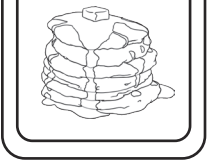
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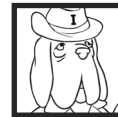
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Answers



1. Who chased the pancake?
The old woman and the dog chased the pancake.



2. How do you think the pancake was feeling as he ran away? Explain why you think this.

Pupils' own responses, such as: I think that the pancake wasn't worried about being eaten because he kept saying 'You can't catch me!'.



3. What does the word **sneakily** mean?
The word sneakily means slyly or secretly.



4. What might happen next in the story?
Pupils' own responses, such as: I think the pancake will roll so fast that he will roll straight into the river.

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