

Tuesday 27th September 2022



Dear Parents & Carers,

## Re: Junior Bake Off

National Baking Week is taking place from Monday 17th October 2022. As a school, we would like to celebrate this by holding our **first annual Junior Bake Off Competition**, as suggested by parents who attended the coffee mornings last year.

All children are welcome to enter the competition and prizes will be awarded for winning entries. In order for us to prepare enough space for the event, please ensure that you **sign up by Friday 7th October** by completing [this Google form](#) or contacting the school office.

Entries will need to be dropped off to the school office from 2pm on Wednesday 19th October. All entries must be delivered to school by Thursday 20th October at 9am at the latest. Please ensure entries are delivered in airtight containers and have allergens noted on the allergen form. **Please do not include any nuts** as we are a nut free school and some of our pupils have severe allergies. Copies of the allergen entry form are available from the school office.

This year, we are theming our Bake Off around our Healthy School status. Each Year Group has been given a 'Feature Fruit' which **must be included** as an ingredient in their entry. There are no restrictions on how this ingredient can be used, but the judges must be able to taste it. The table below shows the fruits for each year group:

<b>Early Years (Nursery/Reception)</b>	Raisins/Sultanas
<b>Year 1</b>	Banana
<b>Year 2</b>	Orange
<b>Year 3</b>	Lemon
<b>Year 4</b>	Blueberries
<b>Year 5</b>	Apple
<b>Year 6</b>	Cherries



Entries will be judged by volunteers from our staff, governor and parent community, including myself, Ms Moxom, Ms Chamberlain, Mr Grant and Tracey, our kitchen manager. Entries from each year group will be judged by a panel of judges selected from the volunteers.

Following the judging on Thursday 20th October, we will sell the entries for a small donation in the school playground. Money raised will go towards cooking resources for the children to use in Design & Technology lessons. Allergens will also be displayed in the playground, but the school is unable to accept any liability for any reactions to food eaten.

Winning entries will be announced during the celebration assembly on Friday 21st September. The winners for Early Years will also be announced in their classes during carpet time.

We hope to see many exciting entries and look forward to celebrating the creativity of our community.

Yours sincerely

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Ms C Hasker  
Headteacher