



# St. Edward's Church of England Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer,

## Year 8 Cooking

After the Easter holiday, Year 8 pupils will once again be able to access the cooking room in lessons. This will take place on a rotation where each pupil will cook for two weeks of their Creative Studies lessons and two weeks of their Young Leader lessons. To reduce the risk of contamination, only Year 8 pupils will be cooking and all ingredients will be ordered by the school then stored for 48 hours before use to allow for a quarantine period.

We request a payment of £5.50 via ParentPay **by Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April** to cover the cost of ingredients. Not all food will be brought home; some will be tasted by the pupils in school instead. If your child is able to bring a small container (e.g. a small takeaway box) to school on the days they will be cooking, this will help to reduce the amount of plastic used in school.

If your child has any dietary requirements, please use the link below and complete the online form **by Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April**. This will enable us to purchase the correct amount of ingredients. This online form only needs to be completed for pupils with dietary requirements.

### [Year 8 Cooking Dietary Requirements Form](#)

Alternative recipes have been provided for pupils who have dietary requirements including gluten free, dairy free, egg free, vegetarian or vegan. We are a nut free school, therefore nuts aren't included on the ingredient list for any of the recipes. Other required alterations will be made in line with responses from the online form. Pupils with diabetes will be informed to not eat the food in school unless advised otherwise by parents or carers.

Yours sincerely,

Miss N Whitehouse  
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