

## Thurnham CE Infant School

### Cookery Club – All children welcome!

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to you in regards to an exciting opportunity. As you are already aware, we really value all of our parents at Thurnham CE School and love to involve them at any opportunity possible.

My name is Miss Sethi and I am the teacher in Gold Class. I am hoping to continue with a parent and child cookery club for Terms 1 and 2. The club will take place on Thursdays after school and will run from after school to 4:45pm. Some sessions may be slightly longer until 5pm.

#### **Terms 1 & 2 Dates:-**

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> Sept, 19<sup>th</sup> Sept, 26<sup>th</sup> Sept, 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct, 10<sup>th</sup> Oct, 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, 7<sup>th</sup> Nov, 14<sup>th</sup> Nov, 21<sup>st</sup> Nov, 28<sup>th</sup> Nov, 5<sup>th</sup> Dec and 12<sup>th</sup> Dec.

This is an exciting opportunity, where children will learn to develop life long skills. It is also an opportunity for you to work closely with your child and watch them develop into independent learners. The recipes that have been chosen are taken from around the world and children will have opportunities to create dishes such as lasagna, tandoori chicken and funky fajitas!

Due to health and safety, I will only be able to have up to ten children each with one parent at any one time. The children selected will be chosen on a first come first served basis.

There will also be a small fee of £4 per session for the club with which I will provide the ingredients for each session. I would need payment for the term no later than the Monday before the first session to allow me time to purchase ingredients.

We will be using the school kitchen for all of our sessions. We will ensure that all of the relevant risk assessments have been carried out prior to the club starting and children will be taught how to use the equipment and kitchen utensils safely. Our school Cook Jane (whom children may know already) will also be assisting with the club.

Children will also have the opportunity to cook for their teachers in the school dinner hall during the last session of each half term. There will also be various mystery box challenges where children can show off their skills independently by creating their own dishes.

If you think you may be interested, please could you return the following slip via your child's book bag before the summer holidays. We will confirm whether your child has a place. Kindest regards and I look forward to hearing from you soon!

S Sethi

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**Cookery Club Terms 1 & 2 2019**

Child's Name ..... Class .....

My child is interested in Cookery Club on Thursdays after school.

I confirm one of my child's parents will accompany my child for each session. Tick

My child has the allergy/intolerance to the following food:

List food below:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.