

Our Ref JP/ASA/ABK/RMO

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Wednesfield Academy
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Dear Parent/Carer

Food Technology Ingredients

During Key Stage 3, your child will be learning about the designing, investigating and making of dishes using a variety of ingredients but also about industry practice, food hygiene and health and safety. Food studies will also help to develop their understanding of nutrition and healthy eating.

To complete the practical sessions, pupils will be required to bring in their own ingredients and food containers, which can be labelled and stored in the kitchen.

Pupils will be made aware of the ingredients they will need for their practical lesson at least one week in advance and will bring home an ingredients list. In some cases, pupils may need to choose ingredients independent to their individual project. Pupils will be required to store their finished dishes in the fridge, or on the shelves in the food room, and collect them at the end of the school day. Any dishes and containers not collected after two days will be disposed of.

Personal hygiene is also an important consideration and therefore pupils with long hair will be required to tie their hair back. Aprons and any other relevant PPE will be provided. Finally, food lessons at Wednesfield Academy will involve your child using and tasting a number of ingredients and it is essential for us to be aware of any allergies or intolerances they may have. Therefore, I would be grateful if you could complete the reply slip so that I can keep a record for future reference.

I appreciate your assistance with the above and look forward to teaching your child and hope to enthuse them about good food and healthier eating.

Thank you for your support and co-operation and if you have any concerns or queries, please contact Mr Billingham (Assistant Headteacher) by calling 01902 558222 or emailing postbox@wednesfieldacademy.co.uk.

Yours faithfully



Mr Phillips
Headteacher

Food Technology Allergy Slip

Pupil's name: Form group:

Allergies or intolerances:

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Parent/carer's signature: Date:

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals, there may be support available for ingredients. If this is something you need then please tick the box.

Please return slip to Miss Savigar (Teacher of Food Technology).

