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Dear Parents

Over the next few weeks in Reception, we will be learning about 'Food'. This unit is part of the Early Years programme of the International Primary Curriculum. The activities which have been planned will cover these strands in the following ways:

Independence: During this theme the children will be encouraged to take on different roles in different contexts when playing in the class café. They will learn about diversity - not only in the types of food available, but also in the ways in which food is prepared for celebrations.

Communicating: The children will find themselves in situations where they will need to use language skills in a wide variety of contexts. We will share stories and rhymes and the children will learn about shapes and numbers when sorting food containers.

Exploring: The children will have the opportunity to discover how food changes (boiling eggs, for example) and will find out where food comes from.

Healthy Living: Throughout this theme we will need to be aware of personal safety, for example when preparing food. We will also discuss the benefits of keeping healthy through a balanced diet.

Please do continue to read and share your own books and the library books with your child.

Please remember to look on the school website at our Reception blog which is updated weekly.

We are looking forward to an exciting half term ahead!

Early Years team