

Year 4 – Week 4 ‘Food’

Weekly Maths Tasks

- € Work on [Times Table Rockstars](#).
- € Play on [Hit the Button](#) - focus on times tables, division facts and doubles.
- € Find a recipe in a book or online. How much of each ingredient would be needed if the amount of people it was cooked for was halved or doubled? What if you needed to mass produce the recipe for 10 people?
- € Collect a range of food/drink items in your home. Read how many grams or millilitres there are by looking at the packages and write them down. Order the numbers you have recorded from smallest to largest.

Weekly Reading tasks

- Answer these questions about chapters 8 and 9 of Journey to Jo’burg
Chapters 8-9
- 1. What caused the commotion? (p.53)
- 2. In chapter eight why was the boy angry?
- 3. Why do you think the boys were reluctant to tell Naledi and Tiro about their brother?
- Watch Newsround and discuss what is happening in the wider world.
- Listen to an audiobook:
<https://stories.audible.com/discovery>

Weekly writing tasks

- Write a recipe. How to make your favourite meal. Remembering to include a list of ingredients and things you need. Don’t forget to include headings and subheadings. Then write their set of instructions, remembering to include imperative verbs. (Verbs that command you to do something).
- Write a review about a meal you have eaten. Describe what you had to eat. What did you enjoy and why? Remember to include adjectives, metaphors and similes.
- Choose your favourite food or snack and write an acrostic poem. Think about where it comes from? What does it look like? What does it taste like?
- A new restaurant is opening in Birmingham. Create an advert for the restaurant. Consider what food the restaurant will specialises in, opening times, prices and location. Are there any chef specials? What makes this restaurant better than other restaurants?

Learning project

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more food. Learning may focus on where different foods originate from, what makes a healthy meal, opportunities to cook etc.

- Time to Talk: As a family, design a healthy meal plan for the week. Discuss your favourite foods and why you enjoy them? Talk about healthy and unhealthy foods and explain the importance of eating a balanced diet. Create a shopping list of the meals you have planned.
- Edible art: using fruit or vegetables create picture. Think about shapes, textures and colours. Take a picture of your edible art and send it to school before you eat it!



- Family Bake off: Bake a cake or sweet treat with your family. Find a recipe on <https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/>. Ask your family members to rate and give your cake a rating.
- Research the history of chocolate. Create a fact file about the history of chocolate and the journey of the coco bean.

Other useful websites/resources

[Oak National Academy](#) – government provided lessons, including video presentations

[BBC daily lessons](#) – loads of great resources, games etc.

Email

Remember you can discuss work with the class teacher via weekly phone calls. You can also email any photographs or work to be shared on twitter. Please include your child's name and class on emails so it can be forwarded to the correct teacher!

Email - enquiry@yarnfieldprimary.org.uk