Year 7 Cooking and Nutrition Curriculum Map

Subject	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Topic	Introduction to Cooking	Food Commodities	Diet and Health	World Foods	Healthy Eating	Licence to Cook
	(7 Weeks)	(8 Weeks)	(6 Weeks)	(6 Weeks)	(6 Weeks)	(6 Weeks)
Key Content	Food Safety	Fruit and Vegetables	Diet and Health	Food and Culture	Food origins	Fruit Fusion
	Stripy salad pots	Savoury Crumble	Function of Protein	European Cuisine	Savoury Rice	Minestrone Soup
	The Eatwell Guide	Cereal and Grains	Chicken Curry	Spaghetti Bolognese	Farming & Processing	Croque Monsieur
	Vegetable Soup/ Spicy tomato	Breakfast Muffins	Vitamins & Minerals	Middle Eastern Cuisine	Pizza Wheel	Flapjacks/ Granola Bars
	soup	In the Dairy	Tuna Pasta Bake	Couscous salad/ Koftas	Create your own	Thai Green Curry
	Food Hygiene	Pizza Toast	Product analysis	Asian Cuisine	Dish	Omelette
	Pasta Bake	Egg production	Chicken Goujons	Stir Fry	Meals for Mates	Apple turnovers
	Oven Safety	Frittata				
		Trip - Smithills Dairy Farm		Guest Sushi Chef Visit		
Knowledge & Skills	Pupils will develop their knowledge and understanding of healthy eating, food safety and how to make healthy, informed choices when selecting ingredients. They will focus upon improving their knife skills and developing their confidence using the hob and oven. These skills will be built upon throughout the year to prepare them for the 'Licence to cook programme' which allows them to further develop their practical skills and independence.	Pupils will develop their knowledge of ingredient functions, food provenance and food production. They will extend their knowledge of dairy production through a visit to a local farm and have the opportunity to talk first hand to the farmers and staff involved in the production process. They will also develop their grill and hob skills and build upon prior baking knowledge to prepare more complex dishes.	Pupils will extend their knowledge and understanding of healthy eating, focusing in more depth on food functions and nutrition. They will begin to analyse products to make more informed food choices and recognise the importance of having a healthier lifestyle. They will build upon their previous food safety knowledge and apply this when preparing raw meat products. They will revisit food contamination in more depth and link this to food borne illnesses.	Pupils will develop their understanding of world cuisines and how religion and culture can influence food choices. They will develop their cultural capital by trying new and unfamiliar ingredients and experience professional food preparation from a visiting sushi chef. This unit is about pupils exploring new tastes and textures and developing their competence and confidence using the hob.	Pupils will extend their knowledge of food commodities and focus on the farming and processing of meat and fish. They will focus upon the 'farm to fork' journey of pillar ingredients used in the Uk. They will also build on their cooking skills gained in previous units to select and cook a recipe of their choice to fit a specific healthy eating brief.	Pupils will consolidate and extend their knowledge of key concepts and skills gained throughout the year and apply this in the 'Licence to Cook' programme. The focus for this unit is to interpret and follow recipes with confidence and apply new cooking skills to prepare and make dishes independently.
Assessment	Pupils knowledge and understanding is supported and assessed through the use of formative and summative assessments, ensuring our pupils know more and remember more.					

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