

Monday 8th January 2018

Dear Parent / Carer

Year 11 Food Preparation and Nutrition Practical Exam

I am writing to inform you that your son/daughter has their Food Preparation and Nutrition practical exam on either **Tuesday 30th January 2018** or **Thursday 1st February 2018**. This will be a practical exam where child will be required cook, prepare and present 3 dishes of their choice, which meet the requirements of the examination brief. These dates have been discussed with pupils before the Christmas holidays. I will let them know asap which date will be their exam but pupils must have all their recipes trials and write -ups completed before the official practical exam.

On this day your child will be required to arrive at school at the usual time and register. The exam will commence during periods 2-5. They will have 45 minutes setting up time and the exam will run until 3.20pm. Pupils will be under exam conditions during this time. **Please be advised that all pupils must bring a drink and a packed lunch / snacks to have during the practical exam.**

Please take some time to reiterate with your son/daughter that this is an exam, which goes towards **35%** of their final GCSE level. **Attendance is compulsory.** They must be prepared with their **time plan** and be fully prepared with all the **ingredients** that they need for the dishes they have chosen to make and **any presentation plates / glasses** they wish to use. (We have a small selection in school but if you have a dish that would work well then please bring it in)

If there are any questions please let me know as soon as possible so that we can make arrangements. The easiest way to contact me is via email at jmander@tytheringtonschool.co.uk

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely,

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