

HD/EDR/RCC

Monday 30th October 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are excited to inform you about an upcoming food tasting event in Nursery. As part of our topic **'What does is taste like?'** we will be learning the nursery rhyme 5 currant buns. As part of this experience, on **Wednesday 8th November, we are going to be tasting currant buns.**

As we prepare for this exciting event, we want to ensure the safety and well-being of every child at our school, especially those with food allergies. **It is essential that we are aware of any allergies or dietary restrictions your child may have** to create a safe and enjoyable experience for all. **We will be tasting premade Asda teacakes.** The ingredients of which are listed below.

Fortified Wheat Flour [Wheat Flour, Calcium Carbonate, Iron, Niacin (B3), Thiamin (B1)], Water, Mixed Fruits (17%) [Raisins, Sultanas], Orange Soaked Sultanas (4%) [Sultanas, Orange Juice from Concentrate], Invert Sugar Syrup, Wheat Protein, Yeast, Candied Mixed Peel (2%) [Orange Peel, Glucose-Fructose Syrup, Sugar, Lemon Peel, Acidity Regulator (Citric Acid)], Vegetable Oils and Fat [Rapeseed Oil, Palm Fat, Palm Oil], Emulsifiers (Mono- and Diglycerides of Fatty Acids, Mono- and Diacetyl Tartaric Acid Esters of Mono- and Diglycerides of Fatty Acids), Salt, Soya Flour, Maize Starch, Flavouring, Flour Treatment Agent (Ascorbic Acid)

We kindly request your cooperation in completing the food tasting consent form using the following link <https://forms.office.com/e/ZKAcUgR4bD>

This will help us to gather information about your child's allergies or dietary restrictions. Please fill out the form carefully, indicate any specific food or ingredients your child must avoid. **You must complete the form to ensure that your child is able to participate.**

Your child's safety is our utmost priority, and we will make every effort to accommodate their needs. If your child has severe allergies that require an EpiPen or any other specific precautions, please provide those details on the form. Rest assured that we will take all necessary precautions to prevent cross-contamination and ensure a safe environment.

The consent forms must be completed by **Monday 6th November**, so we have ample time to make the necessary preparations and accommodation. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the event or your child's allergies, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We appreciate your cooperation in making this event a success and a safe experience for all the children.

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours faithfully

Mrs Dawes-Ryde/ Mrs Carr-Colliver