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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 Food Technology – ParentPay Contribution for Practical Ingredients

As part of our Year 9 Food Technology curriculum, students will continue to develop and refine their practical cooking skills, food presentation, food safety knowledge and understanding of nutrition. Each practical session will cost £3 per student; a total of £57, which covers the ingredients needed for the following 19 practical sessions:

- Dutch Apple Cake
- Macaroni Cheese
- Stir Fry
- Mini Carrot Cakes
- Chicken Curry
- Mini Quiches
- Toad in the Hole
- Cottage Pie
- Chocolate Brownies
- Pizza
- Chicken Fajitas
- Pasta Bake
- Savoury Rice
- Chicken Goujons
- Bolognese
- Banana Muffins
- Tear and Share Bread
- Breakfast Wraps
- Flapjacks

During these practicals, students will:

- Work independently and as part of a team in the kitchen
- Follow hygiene and safety procedures
- Develop a range of food preparation and cooking techniques
- Follow structured recipes to produce food from scratch
- Build confidence when using a variety of ingredients and equipment
- Participate in demonstrations and step-by-step guidance
- Practice cleaning and washing up, an important part of cooking

Due to limited space in our ovens, we are unable to make additional portions beyond the planned recipes.

If your child has any medical conditions, allergies, intolerances or religious requirements, please inform us so we can accommodate alternative ingredients where possible.

Please make your £57 contribution on [ParentPay](#) to ensure your child can participate in these practical lessons. We understand that paying the full amount at once may not be possible for all families; therefore, the contribution can be made in smaller, manageable instalments throughout the year. Please select the payment option on ParentPay that best suits your circumstances. For Pupil Premium students, the academy can cover the cost of ingredients. Please call the school or email finance@looeca.net to arrange this.

Thank you for your support, and I am confident that all students will enjoy and succeed in these practical sessions.

Yours sincerely

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Teacher of Food Technology