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Re: MFL Day

Dear Parents/ Carers,

On Friday 27th September we will be holding a Modern Foreign Languages Day to celebrate languages around the world. The morning session will involve a carousel of activities in House Teams learning German, Greek, Italian and Spanish. In the afternoon we will be exploring the food of these cultures and hope that you will support us by donating some tasty food.

I have allocated different countries to different year groups with some suggestions and would appreciate if you would bring food in from the requested country rather than choosing yourself – this will ensure that we have a broad range for the children to try. Please remember we cannot cook any food in school so any donations will need to 'ready to eat'.

As always, we are very grateful for your support in making this happen and look forward to a fun day exploring languages.

Reception and Year 1: **Greek** food – eg. Olives; Greek cheese; moussaka; figs; taramasalata; tzatziki (will need bread sticks to dip)

Year 2 and 3: **Spanish** food – eg. Chorizo, churros, tapas dishes, jamon, crema catalana (Please note, it is Spanish week in Lidl, Norton from Thursday.. Ideal!)

Year 4: German food – Bratwurst, schnitzel, apple strudel, sauerkraut, breads, cold meats/cheeses (German), butter biscuits, Black forest gateau, sachertorte, lebkuchen.

Year 5 and 6: Italian (try to avoid the obvious that they know) tiramisu, panna cotta, polenta cake, zabaglione, focaccia, arancini etc

If you are keen to share a dish from your culture, as I know we have some families of different nationalities, please feel free to send some in for the children to try, clearly labelled with what it is and which country it is traditionally eaten in.

Many thanks

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