

14th January 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Foundation Stage 2 – Chinese New Year Celebrations Wednesday 29th January 2020

On Saturday 25th January 2020 it will be the Chinese New Year. Later this term, children will be learning about this festival. In order to develop the children's knowledge and understanding of the world, we plan on having a celebration day on Wednesday 29th January which will include a takeaway lunch from the Crystal Inn Chinese Restaurant.

During the day, staff from the Crystal Inn will visit the children and share artefacts and facts about the Chinese New Year. Children will then attend a celebratory lunch in a decorated room within school. An example of food included in the buffet will include chicken balls, chow mein, rice and chips. In order for this event to go ahead, we would like to ask for a **contribution of £3** to cover the cost of the buffet. Please make your payment via Wisepay and complete the permission slip below by Wednesday 22nd January. Please contact Alex Stoker (alex.stoker@spaldingparish.lincs.sch.uk) if you are experiencing problems with Wisepay. If you have any problems in making the contribution, please speak to Diane Mulley as soon as possible. *Please note, children will not need to bring a packed lunch on this day and hot lunch orders will be cancelled*.

Red is China's good luck colour believed to scare away spirits of bad fortune. Chinese people traditionally wear red or other brightly coloured clothes when celebrating the New Year. We would like to invite children to come to school in **non-uniform** for the day, wearing red or other bright-coloured clothes.

Although you have already informed us of any allergies that your child may have, please can you let us know again on the permission slip attached of any dietary requirements that may affect your child's opportunity to sample all of the buffet foods.

We are looking forward to this fantastic 'hands on' learning opportunity for the children. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this visit then please do not hesitate to speak with one of the Foundation Stage team.

Yours faithfully,

Rosie Goddard EYFS Lead



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- I do / do not give permission for my child in class to take part in the buffet lunch during the Chinese New Year Celebrations.
- My child **does / does not** have any dietary requirements. Where there are dietary requirements, please list them below:

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A I have made the contribution of £3.00 via Wisepay

Signed	(Parent/	Carer)	:	 	Date:	 	 	 	 								
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