



St. Michael's Church of England Primary School

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Our school values: *Respect · Kindness · Challenge · Forgiveness · Perseverance*

Dear Parents

On Wednesday 26 April, we will be visiting **Pizza Express** to participate in a 'Pizza Making Workshop'. This will reinforce our present Design and Technology topic where the children are designing a pizza. We will be leaving school at 9.00 am and we will return in time for lunch. Children will need to wear their school uniforms as normal and have a coat. The cost of the trip is £4 and we need your consent, so please sign and return the slip below by Monday 24 April.

Activities are as follows:

9.30am: Good morning and welcome! The children will meet the Restaurant Manager and their team.

9.45am: The Manager will run you through some important cooking basics. Things like washing hands, and staying safe in the kitchen.

10.00am: Ready, steady, pizza. Our pizzaiolo (pizza chef) takes over, showing the how to make a famous, Italian classic: the Margherita.

Everyone will get the chance to knead the dough, making it lovely and smooth, and create the perfect base. Then the children will discover just how important the fresh ingredients are to the pizza's flavour. Then they will add the topping - passata (tomato) sauce, mozzarella and basil.

It takes about half an hour, from kneading the dough to putting the pizza in the oven.

10.30am: While the pizzas are cooking in the giant pizza oven, the children will get involved in an Ingredients Quiz. **It's where the children will taste and learn about different ingredients**, and then answer questions about each one.

10.45am: The pizzas are cooked and it's time to take them back to school along with a Junior Pizzaiolo Certificate as the children will now be a little pizza chef.

11.00am: End of morning – return to school.

Thank you, Mrs Henshaw

REPLY SLIP – PIZZA EXPRESS

My child _____ in Year 2 may attend the trip on 26 April.

I enclose £4 in cash /paid through School Cloud towards the costs

Signed: _____

Please list any allergies staff need to be aware of