



Dear Parents and Carers,

18th September 2026

Our SMSC team is excited to launch a special community project: **St Mary's School Cookbook!**

We want to celebrate the vibrant cultures, traditions and favourite meals that make our school community so unique. To make this book a success, we need your family's favourite recipes.

Every single recipe submitted will be included in the final cookbook!

Recipe Categories Feel free to submit dishes under any of the following broad categories:

- Breakfasts
- Lunches & Snacks
- Dinners
- Baking & Desserts
- Cultural or Heritage Dishes
- Celebration Meals
- Seasonal Favourites

What to Include

- **The Recipe:** Dish name, ingredients list, and step-by-step cooking instructions.
- **A Photo:** Please include a clear picture of the finished dish!
- **A Personal Note (Optional):** A sentence or two about why this dish is special to your family.

How to Submit

- **By Email:** Send your recipe and photo to office@stmarys.leics.sch.uk with the subject line "School Cookbook".
- **By Hand:** Hand in a written or printed copy (along with a printed photo) to the main school office or your child's class teacher.

A recipe template will be available at the school office if you wish to use.

Prizes & Recognition To make things even more exciting, the SMSC team will be awarding special prizes across several fun categories!

Please submit all entries by **Monday 5th October**. We cannot wait to see and try the wonderful dishes that make your home so special.

Yours sincerely

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