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Dear Parent / Carer

### **The Great Magna Cook Off**

During the final half term, we will be running a 'Great Magna Cook Off' competition, where students can demonstrate their cooking ability in a head-to-head competition against other budding chefs within the academy. Competitors will have 90 minutes to prepare, cook and present one dish of their choice and the competition is open to students from all year groups.

The first rounds will take place straight after the academy day and will finish by 5pm. Tasting and judging will be completed by senior members of staff (it's a tough job but someone has to do it) and will follow straight after the cooking, between 4:30pm and 5pm.

Round 1 will take place between 14th June - 17th June. Students will compete against each other in groups of up to 12. The top 3 chefs from each of these sessions will go forward into the grand final which will be held on Monday 21st June. Parents/Carers will be able to come and watch from 4pm on the day of the students' competition. Each student will be permitted up to 5 guests and will be allocated 1 table during the judging process.

The sign-up sheet will be on the Food Technology classroom door (G123), in the Technology Department. If numbers exceed spaces, we will select on a first come first served basis. Sign up will close on 8<sup>th</sup> June and students will not be able to enter the competition after this date. If your child has been successful a letter will be sent home on 9<sup>th</sup> June confirming further details.

Yours sincerely

Miss L Norris  
Head of Design and Technology