## Dear Parent

## The Great UVHS KS3 Bake Off

Each year I take great pride in being able to offer a weekly 'Cooking Club' to KS3 students. This obviously hasn't happened for some time, but I'm pleased to say that a special Bake Off style competition will be taking place this year.

Students in Years 7-9 may enter the 10 week competition which takes the format of our traditional Cooking Club. The twist this year is that students are competing to claim the prize and accolade of UVHS Star Baker! Certificates and prizes will be awarded at the end of the competition, with a focus on creativity and determination, not necessarily just skill.

The competition will take place in D5 on Mondays from 3:30pm - 4:45pm beginning on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January. Students will be given a recipe booklet when they return their permission slip, they will also be added to a new Team which will act as a bake-off community. Recipes can be adapted, altered, improved and 'jazzed up' to give an edge on competitors. Please remember though, we are a nut free school. Students, and yourself, will find the recipe booklet on the school website under the 'Cooking Club' tab.

Students are required to bring their own ingredients, storing them safely in the fridges within the Food Department. No student will be excluded from the Club and if you have any difficulty funding ingredients, please contact me in confidence at school. Students will also be required to make their own travel arrangements home.

Places in joining are limited and will be given out on a first come first served basis. If your child is interested, please could you complete the reply slip below and return it to me as soon as possible. The first 20 students to return the reply slip below will have a guaranteed place.

Like Cooking Club always has, our Bake Off competition will be a wonderful opportunity for your child to explore a side of food and cooking he or she might not see in their usual Food Technology lessons. I am confident they will find it exciting should they choose to join.

If you would like any more information, please do not hesitate to contact me using the school number, or directly via email – nhl@uvhs.uk

Yours sincerely,

N. Hall

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The Great UVHS KS3 Bake Off	
Student:	Form:
I give permission for my child to attend the Great UVHS KS3 Bake Off on V starting Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> January. I understand that I will arrange transport he	

Date: .....

Parental signature: .....