



Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the next few weeks, the children of Year 5 will be learning how to make a nutritious vegetable soup as part of their Design and Technology learning. To prepare for this, they will be taste-testing four different soups: Heinz Vegetable Soup, Heinz Spring Vegetable Soup, Baxters Lentil and Vegetable Soup and Chunky Vegetable Soup. The children will be making their soup during the week beginning **2<sup>nd</sup> February 2026**, with the taste-testing taking place in the weeks prior to this.

During this unit, the children will be practising the skills of boiling and simmering. Once the children have made their 'delicious' soup, they will bring it home for their audience to taste and provide feedback. A questionnaire about their final product will be sent home with your child. If the questionnaire could be completed and sent back to school as soon as possible, we would greatly appreciate it.

**Please can you arrange for your child to bring in a labelled container with a lid (suitable for soup), as soon as possible but before Friday 30th January 2026.**

If you have any questions about the tasting, cooking or any aspect of the learning, please discuss these with your child's class teacher.

Yours sincerely,

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