

Festive Feast



Food and feasts often play an important part in celebrations and festivals across the world.

At Easter, hot cross buns and chocolate eggs are a favourite whilst during Diwali, people celebrate by making sweet treats and bread such as halwa and poori.

Let's get Cooking

Encourage children to research different recipes for some of these winter festivals.

Children can use their mathematical skills to weigh out and measure ingredients and can then use their D&T learning to follow the recipes and create the dishes ready for a festive feast to be shared by all!



Magic Reindeer Food

Ingredients

1/2 cup porridge oats

1 tsp edible glitter (red)

1 tsp edible glitter (green)

Method

- 1 Mix oats and glitter in a small bowl until combined.
- 2 Spoon into a snack-size ziplock bag and seal carefully.
- 3 Create your own Magic reindeer food labels and attach it to bag of oats and glitter using a stapler.
- 4 On Christmas Eve, sprinkle Magic reindeer food outside while reciting the special poem: **'As Santa's reindeer fly and roam, this will guide them to your home'**
- 5 Snuggle down in bed and listen out for sleigh bells!

Notes

Be sure to use edible glitter (the sort that you can decorate cakes with) as craft glitter can be harmful to wildlife.