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Dear Parents

We are very excited to be holding **'Celebrate our culture week'** from 7th October to 11th October. The children will be participating in a variety of activities throughout the week to appreciate the contribution of different cultures, values and beliefs to their lives.

We are very lucky that children at our school come from many cultures and speak many languages. Therefore we would really appreciate if you could come in and share some information about your culture with our pupils.

If you can, please fill in the form attached and return back to your child's class teacher by **Friday 4th October**.

We are very excited to have an African dance and Dhol Percussion with Bhangra Dance workshops for the children on **Tuesday 8th October**, where the children will have an opportunity to learn more about these cultures through music and dance. **We are asking parents for a £3 contribution for the workshops, please could you return the slip below with your child's payment by Monday 7th October.**

In addition, we will be holding an International food afternoon on **Thursday 10th October**. We would welcome donations of traditional dishes (sweet or savoury) from different countries. **From 3.30 to 4pm we will open the hall to parents and children if they wish to sample some of the dishes in return for a donation of £1 per plate.**

If you plan to bring something but are undecided what to make please complete the slip below anyway as soon as possible so we have some idea of quantities.

Please ensure your dish is labelled with a name and list of ingredients. Please label any plates or dishes so these can be returned to you.

Finally, on **Friday 11th October**, we would like the children to wear something which reflects their culture or they can bring an accessory to school.

Thank you for your time and support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs R Khindeg
Deputy Headteacher



To: Mrs Khindey

Child's name: Class:

I enclose £3.00 for the Dance and Percussion workshops on Tuesday 8th October.

Signed: (parent/Guardian)

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To: Mrs Khindey

Please **tick** the activity that you will be able to help with:

I can tell a traditional story from my culture	
I can teach the children some simple phrases from my language.	
I can demonstrate how to cook a simple dish from my culture.	
I am able to donate a dish for the International Food Afternoon. Please give your donation to your child's class teacher no late than 3pm.	

Name:


Name of child : Class:

Daytime contact telephone number:

Days and times you are available to help:

International Food afternoon – Thursday 10th October – 3.30-4.00pm

Please ensure your dish is labelled with a name and list of ingredients. Please label any plates or dishes so these can be returned to you.



Name of dish: _____

Ingredients: _____

Donated by: _____
