



# International Day

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November

This year at Coleham School, we would like to hold an **International Day** on **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November**. This will be a day during which we can celebrate international cultures and diversity within our school community. We would like to ask the pupils to **dress up** in the colours of a flag from any country around the world. Alternatively, some children might like to wear traditional dress relating to a particular culture which they have links with.

If possible, we would like parents/guardians of children to prepare some international food for the children to sample on the day. It would make it very exciting for the children to have a tasting session during their allotted class slot in the afternoon. If you are able to contribute a cultural dish for our **International Taster Kitchen**, simply bring it along on the day and hand it to your child's class teacher. Could we also please ask a few things of you to ensure the safety of every child and to make the tasting a logistically smooth process:

- 1) No nuts or nut derivatives (e.g. nut oil) to be used in any dish
- 2) No sesame seeds or derivatives (e.g. sesame oil) to be used in any dish
- 3) ALL ingredients to be written on a label so we can cater for children with allergies
- 4) Label the food with your child's NAME and CLASS so that we can aim to make sure that your child gets to taste their own dish
- 5) **FINGER FOOD ONLY** – cut into portions
- 6) Please note, food will be left at room temperature until it is tasted in the afternoon.

In addition, there will be an **International lunchtime menu** to carry the theme through the day and a whole school **International assembly** in the morning led by Madame Jones, our French teacher. We hope you all agree, that it will be a fun and enriching experience for all!