



E P COLLIER
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 16th May 2025

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Dear Parents and Carers






TWIST ON BRITISH EVENING

Friday 13th June

4.30pm - 6pm

This year, we will be hosting first our ‘**Twist on British**’ event. Many of us are proud to live in the United Kingdom, although we may come from many different parts of the globe. The evening will celebrate some of the many things that are traditionally British. We would like the evening to be a fusion of cultures so we invite families to add their cultural twist on all things British.

This event is free and provides a wonderful opportunity to share food. Ideally, we would like you to think of any food items that are traditional within Britain and see if you can add some flavours from your country of origin. Please see below for some ideas or speak to Ms Barnett.

	<p>Cornish Pasties traditionally filled with meat and vegetables. What could you fill yours with?</p>		<p>Afternoon Tea traditionally small delicate cucumber sandwiches, scones with clotted cream and jam, sweet pastries and cakes. What could you include in your afternoon tea?</p>
	<p>Victoria Sponge is a light sponge cake made with a layer of raspberry jam and cream in the middle. What could you put in the middle of this cake?</p>		<p>Sausage Rolls traditionally pastry wrapped around pork sausage meat and baked. Can you create an alternative meat or vegetarian filling?</p>
	<p>Welsh cake a traditional small flat cake filled with dried fruit such as sultanas and raisins. What would you use as an alternative fruit?</p>		<p>Trifle traditionally made with layers of sponge, jelly, fruit, custard and cream but there are variations around the world (e.g. Tiramisu in Italy). What versions are you familiar with or can you invent?</p>

To make this event a success we ask that every family bring a dish to be shared on the buffet tables. Please bring your dish to the school office by 3.00 pm on Friday 13th June. Please do not bring anything containing nuts. Refreshments will be provided.

Parents are required to accompany pupils to this event and everyone is welcome to dress up in traditional clothes of their own country or red, white and blue to represent to the colours of the UK flag.

We will have three short performances from some of our pupils in Lower Key Stage Two, this will include Country dancing, Bollywood dancing and the amazing synchronized swimming routine from their Easter Performance. If you would like to send in any videos of your child/children performing traditional dances from around the world for us to put on our Facebook page as a celebration of our community please do!

Your child will bring home a slip for you to complete and return if you will be bringing a contribution of food or if you can help with the setting up/clearing away of the event. Please return to Ms Barnett by **Friday 6th June.**

We hope you can all join us to celebrate the similarities and differences that make our E P Collier school community such a special place.

Yours sincerely,



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PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE CLASS TEACHER BY FRIDAY 6th JUNE 2025.

PART ONE

Delete as appropriate

I intend /do not intend to come to the **'Twist on British'** event on **Friday 13th June 2025**

Name of pupil _____ Class _____

Number of family members that wish to attend _____

PART TWO

We will need a little help with setting up and clearing away. If you are available from 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm and/or 5.30 pm to 6.00 pm. Please tick the box and provide us with your preferred contact details.

I am available to help. Yes ☐ No ☐

Preferred contact details.....

PART THREE

Child's name	Class:
Parent/ Guardian name:	Contact number:
The dish I am making is:	
The Ingredients are:	
As we have members of the school community with food allergies it is important that you list ingredients used to help people make informed choices.	