Year 3 D.T. Knowledge Organiser: Food - Bread

Oils and spreads: Choose unsaturated varieties and use sparingly.
Fats / sugars:
Should be consumed in small amounts.

Key Vocabulary	
bake	To cook in an oven.
beat	To mix with a fork or whisk.
boil	To cook in water held at boiling point.
dough	A thick mixture usually mainly of flour and liquid that is baked e.g. bread dough.
Eatwell plate	The eat well plate shows the types and proportions of different foods needed to make up a healthy balanced diet. (see below)
glaze	To coat with egg or milk to give a shiny finish after baking.
grill	To cook close to a heat source.
hygienic	Hygiene is any practice or activity that you do to keep things healthy and clean.
ingredients	The things that are used to make something, especially all the different foods you use when you are cooking a particular dish.
knead	To form a dough mixture.
recipe	A set of directions with a list of ingredients for making or preparing something, especially food.
rub in	To mix together flour and fat using the fingertips until it resembles fine
	breadcrumbs.
simmer	To almost boil, but where bubbles only break the surface from time to time.
utensils	Tools or containers used in a home and especially a kitchen.
yeast	A single-celled fungus that ferments sugar to produce alcohol and carbon dioxide. The commercial product containing living yeast cells is used in baking to make dough rise and in the making of alcoholic beverages (as wine).

Important Facts

Around the world people use a range of different ingredients, equipment and cooking techniques to prepare food.

When planning to cook we need to consider current healthy eating advice, the needs of different people and occasions.

When planning to cook, we need to select the most suitable ingredients, equipment and food skills for successful results.

There is a range of additional food skills which enable us to cook.

Buying, storing, preparing and cooking food safely and hygienically are vital for health.

The history of bread:

Bread is one of the oldest prepared foods. Evidence from 30,000 years ago in Europe revealed starch residue on rocks used for pounding plants. It is possible that during this time, starch extract from the roots of plants, such as cattails and ferns, was spread on a flat rock, placed over a fire and cooked into a primitive form of flatbread. Around 10,000 BC, with the dawn of the Neolithic age and the spread of agriculture, grains became the mainstay of making bread. Yeast spores are ubiquitous, including on the surface of cereal grains, so any dough left to rest leavens naturally.

In 1961 the Chorleywood bread process was developed, which used the intense mechanical working of dough to dramatically reduce the fermentation period and the time taken to produce a loaf. The process, whose high-energy mixing allows for the use of lower protein grain, is now widely used around the world in large factories. As a result, bread can be produced very quickly and at low costs to the manufacturer and the consumer. However, there has been some criticism of the effect on nutritional value.

Videos of the bread making process:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zrxd7ty

https://www.warburtons.co.uk/corporate/teaching-resources/bread-making-project



Health and Safety

- Remove any jewellery and tie back long hair.
- Wear an apron and roll up your sleeves.
- Wash your hands with hot water and antibacterial soap before, during and after preparing food.
- Do not cough or sneeze over food.
- Cover cuts and grazes with a blue plaster.
- Do not lick fingers, spoons or any other utensils.
- Use different chopping boards and knives for raw meat & other foods.
- Check that food is cooked right the way through.
- Check the dates on food and check for allergies of those eating.
- Store food correctly.
- Walk safely and calmly around the classroom.
- Follow the teacher's instructions carefully.
- Use oven gloves when taking items out of the oven.
- Ensure pan handles do not hang over the edge of the hob.
- Make sure that you are using the correct equipment for tasks.
- Clear up spillages immediately especially from the floor.
- Report any accidents & clean up properly after yourself.