

Food: The Hungry Caterpillar's Fruit Snack

Background information

As part of our design technology unit we have been learning all about different fruits and vegetables. We have designed our own healthy fruit and vegetable snack for children. We have used a variety of different fruits and vegetables and explored different ways to cut and slice them to make our designs appeal to children.

Knowledge and Understanding

In this unit pupils will learn...

- To identify and describe the properties of fruit and vegetables.
- that it is important to eat more fruit and vegetables and that these improve our health.
- how to use a variety of simple tools and equipment.
- to use the senses to describe and explain likes and dislikes
- to select, slice and assemble fruits

Enquiry skills and Key concepts

- design and choose the ingredients and skills to use in my own fruit snack
- Explore and evaluate existing products
- evaluate own work, saying what worked well and what didn't.
- Design a product to meet the needs of the brief

Key Vocabulary:

Fruit, vegetables, seed, stone, skin, root, stem, leaves

crunchy, juicy, soft, hard, sweet, sour. *crisp, sharp, sticky, squashy, smooth,*

cut, slice, chop, peel

evaluate, design