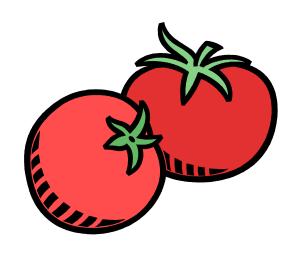
Basic Food Hygiene





What rules do we need to follow to make sure our food does not get infected?

Rule Number One:



- Always wash your hands before you start cooking.
- This stops any germs that might have been on your hands from getting into the food.

Rule Number Two:





- Always keep raw meat away from cooked meat.
- This stops the bacteria from the raw meat infecting the cooked meat.
- Why does the cooked meat not have bacteria in it?

Rule Number Three:



- Check the sell-by and use-by dates on food.
- Foods that are past their use-by date may make you ill if you eat them.
- What is the difference between a sell-by date and a use-by date?

Rule Number Four





- Keep your food in the right places: in the fridge if it says 'Keep refrigerated', or in the cupboard if it says 'Store in a cool, dry place'.
- Where other places might you store food?

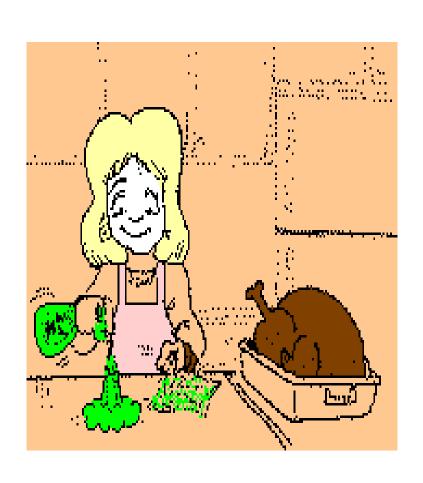
Rule Number Five:

 Always tie back long hair when cooking.

 This stops any stray hairs from getting in the food and infecting it.



Rule Number Six:



 Always disinfect and clean your cooking surfaces before preparing food.

 This stops any germs from the surface getting into the food.



 Can you think of any other rules about food hygiene?