## EPCHS Technology Department: Year 9 Programme of Study Food This is an 18-week course

Year/Term	Unit of Work	Intent
Autumn	Nutritional information	<ul> <li>To deliver lessons that look in more detail at nutritional information.</li> <li>What are nutrients? Macro and micronutrients. The importance of good nutrition and balanced diet.</li> <li>Proteins, fats, carbohydrates – looking at sources and functions.</li> <li>Vitamins and minerals – looking at sources and functions.</li> <li>Deficiency of nutrients – what would happen if we did not have enough of the nutrient? How would it affect our bodies?</li> <li>Special diets – What are special diets? Why do people follow special diets?</li> </ul>
Spring	Skills in cooking	To assess a range of skills that have previously been addressed in year seven and eight. Further development of how to use the skills safely and with understanding.  • Knife skills  • Presentation skills  • Cake making methods – rubbing in, whisking, creaming and melting methods  • Bread making – sweet and savoury bread, use of kneading, proving and knocking back Looking at yeast as a raising agent.  • Pastry making – shortcrust, flaky, choux and filo  • Sauce making - roux, all in one and various consistencies in sauce making  To learn and develop skills in the following practical sessions:  • Swiss rolls - whisking method, timing, and preparation  • Bakewell tart – cake making and pastry making combined.  • Sweet bread – tear and share  • Making flaky and choux pastry products  • Use of filo pastry in cooking to make spring rolls  • Sauce making – making custard and tomato-based sauces. Show process of gelatinisation.