



## St Issey CE Primary School

### **Birthday Celebrations in School**

We enjoy recognising children's birthdays and celebrating them as part of our school community.

To maintain a calm learning environment and protect teaching time, no sweets, cakes, food items or other items should be brought into school for distribution to pupils.

### **Why this decision has been made**

#### Learning and Routine

- Distributing items during the school day interrupts lessons and classroom routines.

#### Health and Safety

- We have pupils with food allergies and medical needs. Restricting shared items reduces risk and helps maintain a safe environment.

#### Inclusion

- Removing shared treats avoids pressure on families and ensures celebrations are consistent for all children.

Class teachers will acknowledge birthdays in an appropriate way during the school day.

We appreciate your support in helping us maintain a safe, focused and inclusive learning environment for all pupils.