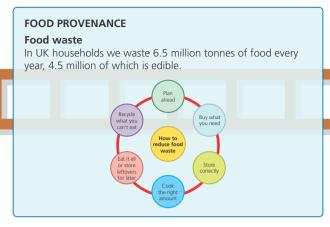
# Year 8 Knowledge Organiser: Theory focus





# **FOOD COMMODITIES**Vegetables, fish and cere

Vegetables, fish and cereals are commodities. Commodities are commonly eaten foods. They can either be eaten raw or processed into other foods – for example, wheat is processed into flour.



# **FOOD SCIENCE**



Chemical raising agents are added to many baked items to make them rise. The two most common raising agents are bicarbonate of soda and baking powder.



### Gelatinisation

When liquids and starch are mixed together and heated the mixture will thicken. This process is called gelatinisation.

# FOOD NUTRITION AND HEALTH

Macronutrients are needed in large amounts in the body and are called protein, fat and carbohydrate.







## **FOOD CHOICE**

### Food labelling and traffic light labelling

Food labelling is important because we need to know what is in the product we are buying. The traffic light labelling gives us accurate information about the nutrients the food contains.





### **ASSESSMENT**

Interactive activities at the end of each lesson will test your knowledge and understanding.

There will be a test at the end of the course to check your knowledge and understanding – it will include multiple choice questions and short and long answer questions.



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