SCHOOL FOOD TRUST In Season Eat Better Do Better Feb May Nov Mar Jul Sep Oct Dec Jan Jun Aug Source of Apr **Apples (Bramleys Seedling)** Vitamin C Apples (Cox) Vitamin C **Apples (Discovery)** Vitamin C **Apples (Egremont Russet)** Vitamin C Apples (Gala) Vitamin C Apples (Spartan) Vitamin C Apples (Worcester Pearmain) Vitamin C Blackberries Vitamin C, Fibre Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Calcium, Iron, Fibre Blackcurrants Cherries Vitamin C Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Gooseberries Loganberries Vitamin C Pears Fibre Plums Vitamin A Raspberries Vitamin C. Folate Redcurrants Vitamin C, Fibre Rhubarb (forced) Vitamin C Rhubarb (outdoor) Vitamin C **Strawberries** Vitamin C Protein, Fibre, Vitamin A Beans (Broad) Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Fibre Beans (French) Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C Beans (Runner/Flat) Beetroot Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, **Broccoli** (Purple sprouting) Calcium, Fibre Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Broccoli (Calabrese) Calcium, Fibre Vitamin A, Folate, **Brussel Sprouts** Vitamin C, Fibre Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Cabbage (Autumn) Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Cabbage (Red) Calcium, Fibre Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Cabbage (Savoy) Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Cabbage (Spring Green) Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Cabbage (Summer) Calcium, Fibre Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Cabbage (Winter White) Calcium, Fibre Vitamin A, Fibre, Vitamin C Carrots Cauliflower Vitamin C, Folate Celeriac Fibre, Folate, Vitamin C Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Courgettes Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C Endive Vitamin A, Folate, Fennel Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Fibre Kale Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Folate, Fibre Leeks **Marrow** Vitamin A, Vitamin C Onions **Parsnips** Fibre, Folate, Vitamin C Fibre, Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Iron Peas **Potatoes (Maincrop)** Vitamin C Potatoes (New) Vitamin C Vitamin A, Vitamin C Pumpkins Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C Spinach Squash Vitamin A Vitamin A, Vitamin C, Swede Sweetcorn Vitamin A, Vitamin C Turnips Fibre, Vitamin C Celery Vitamin C Cucumbers Lettuce (Cos) Folate Lettuce (Curly) Folate Lettuce (Iceberg) Folate Lettuce (Little Gem) Folate Lettuce (Round) Folate Radish Rocket Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C **Spring onions Tomatoes** Vitamin A, Vitamin C Vitamin A, Folate, Vitamin C, Iron Watercress Key: **In season** - This is when food is at its best **In store** - Food is harvested when in season then Available - This covers the period when food is coming into or out of season. Some foods, stored to extend its availability particularly soft fruit and salads are grown outside of season in greenhouses. and most widely available Protein, Iron, Zinc Beef Lamb Protein, Zinc Pork Protein, Zinc Key: **In season** - UK produced red meat is available most of the year, prices however vary. Where we have shown meat as being in season this indicates when prices for British produce are usually at their lowest. Available Cod (only fish from North Atlantic fishery should be used) S S Protein S S S Coley Protein Haddock Protein Protein, Omega 3 Fatty Acids, Vitamin A Herring Protein, Omega 3 Fatty Acids S S S S S S **Mackerel**

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Spawning season/out of season - Wild caught fish should only be served outside of the spawning season

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Protein, Vitamin A, Calcium, Iron, Omega 3 Fatty Acids

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