



## **JUNIOR BAKE OFF APPLICATION FORM**

*Junior Bake Off* is back! Do you love baking? Are you aged 9-12 years old and want to show off your skills in front of our judges? Have you got what it takes to become *Junior Bake Off* Champion 2015?

If you love baking fantastic cakes, you're potty about pies and pastry, or simply bonkers about baking bread, then, get in touch because you could be impressing our judges with your baking talents.

If you are interested, print off the application form, fill it in and return it to the address given.

All **completed applications** must be sent back to us by **midnight Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May** as we will be filming in August 2015.

If you have not heard from us by **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2015** then unfortunately your application has not been successful.

**You must have your parent's or guardian's permission before completing the form and you must be available for filming during August 2015.**

There are more details about how to apply on the form. Please read them carefully. We will consider everyone who applies equally. Only people who have made it to the next round will be contacted by the Production team.

**Thank you and good luck!**



## **JUNIOR BAKE OFF SELECTION CRITERIA**

You need to be extremely enthusiastic about baking.

You need to consider yourself better at baking, than most other children you know.

You need to bake often on your own or at least under the supervision of a parent/guardian. If you do bake with a parent/guardian, you must be able to bake your items without any help.

You need to be able to bake several different types of food to show the judges your talent.

You need to be prepared to take some constructive feedback (the judges may like some of what you bake, but they may not like all of it)!

Not only will the judges be looking for how well you bake and how good it tastes, but they will also be looking at your potential - don't worry if you're not brilliant at everything now!

You will be filmed, so don't apply if you don't like being on camera.

## **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

To apply, you must submit:

- a completed application form, completed by you (NOT your parent or guardian)
- a photograph of yourself
- a photograph or photographs of your bakes
- you MUST ensure a parent or guardian has signed the bottom of the application form and included their contact details

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Thank you for downloading this form. We look forward to receiving your completed application.

### Please read carefully:

Bakers, once YOU (not your parent or guardian) have filled in your application form and attached a photograph of yourself and your bakes, you **MUST** make sure a parent or guardian has signed the bottom of this form and included their contact details.

You can send us your form either:

- via email to: [juniorbakeoff@loveproductions.co.uk](mailto:juniorbakeoff@loveproductions.co.uk)  
OR
- by post to: **LOVE PRODUCTIONS  
JUNIOR BAKE OFF  
43 EAGLE STREET  
LONDON  
WC1R 4AT**

Remember, we must have received your completed & signed form by **MIDNIGHT Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2015**, otherwise we won't be able to consider you.

If you haven't heard from us by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2015, then unfortunately that means you are not through to the next round of the selection process.

**Please do not forget to include photographs and the signed consent form (at the bottom of the form) from a parent/guardian. If the application form isn't signed by a parent or guardian then it CANNOT be considered.**

**GOOD LUCK!**

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## ABOUT YOU

• Name

• Age

• Birthday

## ABOUT YOUR BAKING

• How long have you been baking for?

• Why do you enjoy it?

• Who taught you to bake?

• Why do you think you should be considered for Junior Bake Off?

• What would make your baking skills stand out from the other children who can bake?

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is your favourite thing to bake and why?</li> </ul>  |  |
| <p>Have you ever baked any of the following? If yes, please give details of your favourite things to bake in each category. Please also give details of how hard you found them to bake, and whether you adapted the recipe to make the more exciting.</p> |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Biscuits</li> </ul>   |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Bread</li> </ul>  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Cakes</li> </ul>  |  |

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| ❖ Tarts  |  |
| ❖ Types of pastry  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Do you bake on your own or always with an adult? How much help are you given?</li></ul>  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What other hobbies do you have?</li></ul>  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tell us about your family. Do you have brothers and sisters? How old are they?</li></ul> |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• How did you find out that applications are open?</li></ul>                               |  |

THANK YOU



# JUNIOR BAKE OFF

## PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

### To the Parent or Guardian:

Your child would like to apply to take part in the CBBC television programme *Junior Bake Off*.

This programme is a televised talent search for the UK's best junior baker aged 9-12. To take part, a parent or guardian will be required to attend *all* auditions, screen tests, filming days, press and publicity and any other days on which their child will be required to attend as part of the programme.

The show will be transmitted on the CBBC Channel and possibly other BBC channels, the BBC website and iPlayer. Beyond that, it may be sold to broadcasters overseas.

If successful, we will film your child's experience for a maximum of 6 days over a three week period in August 2015. Please note that more precise dates will be given nearer the time of filming.

For their application to be considered, your child needs to provide the completed application form, a photograph of themselves, a photograph or photographs of their bakes and a signed parental consent form. These should be sent directly to the external Production Company, Love Productions, who are making the programme for the BBC.

As we are looking for a variety of qualities from applicants and receive a large number of applications, not everyone will be successful. Only those who make it to the next round will be contacted by Love Productions. If you have not heard from Love Productions by **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2015** then your child has not been successful in making it through to the next round of the selection process.

If the application is successful, the information provided may be used by the programme, but it will not be used for any other purpose. Your details will not be stored in a database and all applications will be destroyed once they have been processed by the end of December 2015.

Love Productions has a Child Protection Policy and all staff are in compliance with it Love Productions has a Child Protection Policy [and a data protection policy](#) and all staff are in compliance with it.

**FOR PARENTS TO COMPLETE:**

1. I confirm that my child will be aged between 9 and 12 years old on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2015, and is not a close relative of a BBC or Love Productions employee and is a resident of the UK.

YES [ ] NO [ ]

2. Does your child (or any family member that the child lives with), have any medical conditions (e.g. asthma, allergies, diabetes, epilepsy etc.) that we should be made aware of?

YES [ ] NO [ ]

If yes, please give details:

3. Does your child have any physical or mental disabilities that we should be aware of? (*We actively encourage applications from all children*). YES [ ] NO [ ]

If yes, please give details:

4. Has your child appeared in any television programmes before? YES [ ] NO [ ]

If yes, please give details:

5. You must be able to commit to all the filming days required which are currently expected to be 6 dates in August 2015. Do you or your child have any days within August for which you are unavailable? YES [ ] NO [ ]

If yes, please give dates:

6. When selecting applicants for **Junior Bake Off** the following will be taken into account: skill, enthusiasm, drive, love of baking & lively characters who are comfortable being filmed.

Initial selection will be based on the application forms. In addition, the Producers may (but may not), invite short listed applicants to attend 1 or 2 auditions. The Producers will be looking for a mix of finalists to reflect a range in age, location, gender and diversity of junior bakers in Britain.



**The Production team's decisions regarding selection to the programmes are entirely at their discretion and are final.**

I confirm that the information I have supplied is true and accurate and hereby give consent for my child to proceed further in the application process, and if successful, to take part in *Junior Bake Off*.

**Signature of Parent / Guardian:**

**Please print name:**

**Relationship to *Junior Bake Off* applicant:**

**Date:**

**Email address:**

**Home Address:**

**Contact Numbers**

**Mobile:**

**Home:**

**Work:**

