



Dear Parents and Carers

To help celebrate Uruguay National Day on Saturday 25 August 2018, Macgregor Primary School and the Embassy of Uruguay will be hosting National Day celebrations at lunch time on Friday 24 August from 11:20am. The Embassy will be providing a range of activities including raising the Uruguayan flag, serving **choripan** (a popular Uruguayan food) face painting, photo booth and carnival music.

In Spanish class, students have been working on Uruguay National Day paintings and an art competition under the topic "What do you see when you think about Uruguay".

As part of the **choripan tasting** students will be collecting the Uruguayan food from under the COLA as they are called by year group.

Macgregor will be hosting a short assembly from 2:15pm where the Uruguayan Ambassador, Dr. Ricardo Javier Varela Fernandez, will present art competition prizes.

If you would **NOT** like your child to taste **choripan** (ingredients: pork, beef, pepper, salt, paprika, garlic, red wine vinegar, red wine, brandy, fennel seed in a white bread roll) Bread ingredients –wheat flour, water, yeast, vegetable oils (palm, canola), iodised salt, wheat gluten, yellow pea flour, vitamins (thiamin, folate). We have altered the recipe to reduce the pepper for younger palates and of course there is no alcohol content as the small amount used for flavour is cooked off in the preparation. Please cross the box below and return the slip to your class teacher by Friday 17 August if you **DO NOT** wish for your child to taste **choripan**.

Kind regards

Paula Charles  
Spanish Teacher

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## Uruguay National Day **choripan**

I **DO NOT** give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

to have choripan

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Carer signature)