



Cool School Update – August 2018

Dear Colleague,

You may have been with us as a Cool School for a while, or perhaps this is your first update. Either way it's good to be in touch with you. We hope you'll find this update about our resources helpful when planning your autumn term and further into the future.

The positive feedback we've been getting reassures us that we're doing the right thing, and we're grateful for it. But please keep telling us what you think – we're not complacent and your input is vital to keep our resources fresh, inspiring and, above all, relevant.

Kaarin Goodburn MBE, Director

Back with a (Big) Bang!



While June temperatures soared the CEd team was busy talking chilled food to 2,100 students and teachers at the Big Bang Fair East Midlands.

Industry colleagues including from Greencore, Hain Daniels and Samworth Brothers demonstrated resources and shared their experiences of careers in chill.

Deena Brannan of Leesbrook School in Derby has been using CEd's temporary tattoos to encourage students to wash their hands properly. She places them around the room near the wash basins and says it makes lessons fun and gets the students looking at microorganisms in a different way. For your set of temporary tattoos, and other inspirational resources, visit the [Chilled Education](http://Chilled Education website) website. How will you use yours? Let us know!

It's Not Just Cooking – It's Science! Posters Available

It's easy to put boxes around subjects and food can often end up in the cookery 'box'. But it's much more than that - it's science. It's biology, physics and chemistry – from microorganisms, to heat transfer, to Maillard reactions, to pinking iceberg lettuces.

We now have new posters for your classroom, downloadable from www.chillededucation.org

CEd's [free lesson plans](#) have everything you need to use food as part of your science lessons.



Focus on Fridge Temperatures

Fridges should run at 0-5°C to keep food at peak quality and safe to eat. CEd's innovative [fridge thermometers](#) (right) glow green when the fridge is the correct temperature and can be used in lessons on microbial growth.

Look out for a campaign later this autumn that's putting the spotlight on fridge temperatures, including the best ways to keep fridges cool to avoid food waste.



A Date for Your Diary:

9–12 January 2019 - The Association for Science Education Annual Conference. University of Birmingham

Come along, say hello and please bring your ideas with you! We're always interested to hear your thoughts on new resources and lesson plans.