



17th June 2026

End of Universal Free School Meals

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to remind you that in September, when your child moves up into Year 3, they will no longer receive free school meals under the Government's Universal Infant Free School Meals scheme.

Please note that all meals must be paid for in advance via MCAS (we do not accept cash). School meals currently cost **£2.60** a day, which is **£13.00** for a full week. Your help in keeping your child's meal balance in credit is appreciated.

School meals are a good way to make sure your child has a nutritious meal every day and by eating well at lunchtime, children remain focused on their learning throughout the afternoon sessions.

Please note, if you are in receipt of Universal Credit, you can make a claim for free school meals for your child. This can be done via the FSM form that was sent out recently as a hard copy with your child. If you need another form, please ask the school office.

Yours faithfully,

Kimberly Morton

Principal