



25<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parents/carers

### School Meals Update

We are very pleased to inform you that from the week beginning 28<sup>th</sup> September hot lunches will be available to the children on a rotational basis. This is to limit the number of the children in the dining hall at any one time and to help facilitate social distancing. A hot meal option will be available to children in Reception every day and the rest of the school will have a hot and cold option on a two weekly cycle as shown below.

Week A (starting on 28<sup>th</sup>) – Reception, Year 1, Year 3 and Year 5

Week B – Reception, Year 2, Year 4, Year 6

In order to ensure the correct year groups have the correct meal options, the children will now only be able to select their meal choices in class with their teachers. The menu will be sent home so you are able to see what the children are eating and so you can discuss this with them beforehand if you wish.

The class teachers in Reception will go through the menu choices with the children at morning registration, assisting them with their meal selection.

All children still have the option of bringing in their own packed lunch. As a healthy school, we are committed to encouraging and developing positive attitudes towards food and a healthy diet. Can we remind parents that we are a nut free school and children should not bring in any items in their packed lunch that may contain nuts, eg. nutella chocolate spread, peanut butter.

Due to the current COVID restrictions, we are asking that children do not bring in sweets, cakes or treats to share with their class to celebrate their birthdays.

We are aware that this is yet another change for us all. The children have adapted very well to the changes made so far. We will continue to endeavour to make their lunchtime experience as enjoyable as possible.

Yours sincerely,

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