



## Littleport Community Primary School

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## Free School Meals

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you are all aware, children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 are all entitled to **Universal** Free School Meals. Once your child moves up to KS2 in Year 3, their entitlement to **Universal** Free School Meals ends and, unless your child is entitled to income related Free School Meals (see below), you will have to pay for school dinners. The current cost (July 2020) is £2.70 per day, £13.50 per week, payable in advance. Alternatively, you may wish to provide your Key Stage 2 child with a packed lunch.

**Check now** to see if your child is eligible for 'free school meals' by registering at [www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals](http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals). Your child **does not** have to eat free school meals and can still have packed lunches. However, the school will receive extra funding called 'pupil premium' if you are eligible.

The additional money we receive through the Pupil Premium Grant is used to improve the educational provision and provide financial support for trips, music tuition and uniform. At Littleport Community Primary School we get an extra £1,320 for every eligible pupil who is registered for free school meals.

### Is my child eligible for free school meals?

Your child might be eligible if you access:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance or
- Child Tax Credit, as long as you do not get Working Tax Credit and whose annual income (as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs) does not exceed £16,190.
- If you are supported under Part VI of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit during the four week period
- Universal Credit, provided you have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400

If you think you are eligible, please apply as soon as possible by completing an online application [www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals](http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals). If in any doubt please do not hesitate to contact the school office who will be able to assist you.

Best wishes,

Mr A Rivett Headteacher

