



Tuesday 20th September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

School Dinner price increase to £1 per meal

After the October half term break, the cost of our school meals will be increasing from 50p a meal to £1 for children who are in Y3 to Y6. Children who are in Reception, Y1 and Y2 will continue to be entitled to the Universal Free School Meals. This increase in cost will bring us in line with the rest of our Thrive Trust primary schools.

Whilst we recognise that these are challenging times for everyone financially, we have maintained the subsidised cost of 50p since Oldfleet joined the Trust in 2019, unfortunately we are no longer able to sustain this level of subsidy. Many schools in the city, including those in our local area, are now charging £1.50 a meal or more.

As a Trust we continue to be committed to providing healthy lunches for our children with the cost to parents and carers being £1 per meal. The Trust will continue to subsidise this making the cost to parents as affordable as we can.

We would like to strongly advise that you investigate whether you are entitled to Free School Meals for your child. Even if your child is currently in Reception, Y1 or Y2 and entitled to the Universal Free School Meals we would ask that you apply for FSM. If you are successful in the application this will enable you to claim a £15 supermarket voucher per week per child during holiday periods whilst the government continues with this support. In addition to this the school will also receive extra funding which will support us with providing the best possible provision for the children.

Please visit <https://www.hull.gov.uk/education-and-schools/schools/free-school-meals> for an online application or pop into school for a paper and we will happily help you to complete an application.

For any successful applications for FSM we will provide a free school jumper.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding

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