July 15, 2021

Dear Parents & Carers

**School Lunches**

From September 2021 the cost of a school meal will increase to £2.45 a day. The price increase is due to the rise in food costs and the continued uncertainty surrounding food prices as the pandemic continues.

Dinner money is payable online via Parent Pay. If you are not registered with Parent Pay please contact Suzi in the office at the start of the new term and login details will be sent out so that you can register with the service.

Pupils in the years: Reception, year 1 and year 2 will continue to receive a Universal Free School meal for the academic year 2021/22.

Free school meals for the other year groups are available for eligible children if you as the parent are in receipt of any of the following benefits:-

* Job Seekers Allowance (Income Based)
* Income Support
* Universal Credit
* Child Tax Credit (but NOT receiving Working Tax Credit) – provided your annual income, assessed by the Inland Revenue, does not exceed £16,190 (Please note: this amount is subject to change in April every year)
* Employment Support Allowance (Income Related)
* Guarantee Element of State Pension Credit
* Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

If you would like to make an application for free school meals or require further information then visit [www.eastriding.gov.uk/schoolmeals or telephone 01482 394799](http://www.eastriding.gov.uk/schoolmeals%20or%20telephone%2001482%20394799).

Should you require any further information about the school meal service please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Kind regards

Andrea Rounding

School Business Manager