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Dear Parent/Carer

We would like to inform you that your child may be eligible to receive a free school meal, if they are not doing so already. This could be due to a recent change of circumstance due to the current climate that we find ourselves in.

We would like to encourage you to enquire about this valuable allowance. The Local Authority friendly Free School Meals team can be contacted by the following methods:

Email – checking@derbyshire.gov.uk

Phone – Andy 07812 475 250 Monday to Friday (please have your National Insurance number to hand if possible)

Fiona 07812 475 187 Tuesday to Friday

Online - <https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/education/schools/your-child-at-school/meals/school-meals/free-school-meals.aspx>

SCHOOL MEALS HAVE MANY BENEFITS

THEY CAN:

Allow children to eat a variety of foods

Encourage children to try new foods

Provide the opportunity to eat and socialise with peers

Inspire healthy eating habits

Improve concentration and the ability to learn

The Free Meals Team at Derbyshire County Council look forward to receiving your calls.

Regards

Mrs Worthington

Student Services

