



**Re: Breakfast provision for students eligible for Free School Meals\***

Dear parent/carers

I am writing to let you know about a continuing initiative in school whereby we offer breakfast to all students in receipt of Free School Meals (FSM). As a school, we recognise the economic pressures that many families are facing at present along with the role that feeling full at the start of the school day plays in helping students concentrate and maximise learning.

Breakfast will be available in the school canteen from 7:45am on a daily basis with free toast for any students in receipt of FSM. Toast can be also obtained free of charge at morning break for students eligible for FSM if students are reliant on school buses or unable to make it before the start of the school day. The till system will operate in the same way as lunchtime meals, hence free school meal allowances are completely confidential, and the lunchtime meal allowance will be unaffected. Other breakfast options will continue to be available for purchase by all students before school and at morning break.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'N Dixon'.

Ms N Dixon

Assistant Headteacher

*\* If your child is not in receipt of Free School Meals, but you are struggling to provide breakfast for them at home, please contact your child's Head of Year to discuss this on a confidential basis. If you think your child may be eligible for FSM, please complete the FSM application form which can be found [here](#) and send to the email address on the form.*