

Free School Meals



Did you know ...
just by registering your child for Free School Meals
means that the school gets extra money?

The Government is giving money to schools to help children from lower income families do their very best ~ this funding is called a 'Pupil Premium'.

With this money we could provide additional support in the classroom, help to cover the cost of school trips or purchase new resources to support teaching and learning.

Please register to make sure your child and others in their class don't miss out. No one will know you have registered and it will not affect any other benefits you are claiming.

- 1) Check if you qualify (see the list attached)
- 2) Registering is really quick and easy, if you think you qualify you can:
 - Apply online at www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/FSMapply
 - Apply by phone with the Free School Meals Team at 01522 782030
 - Apply by post using the application form from school or online

If you want your child to have a free, healthy meal at lunchtime that's great – they will get the free meal, extra benefits and the school gets extra money too.

If you don't want your child to have the school meals they can continue as normal – as long as you qualify and are registered, the school will still get the extra to help providing support.

Please talk to us about registering your child today.



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Do you qualify?

You can register your child for Free School Meals if you get any of these benefits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit, provided they are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income (as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs) that does not exceed £16,190
- Working Tax Credit 'run-on' - the payment someone may receive for a further four weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Please call the Free School Meals Team on 01522 782030 if you need help or advice.



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