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1st July 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have worked very hard with our catering suppliers (LTS Catering) over the last year to minimise the effects of the current cost of living crisis for our pupils and their families. It has now been necessary for LTS Catering to make a 5p increase to the cost of hot meals for our pupils. This 2.17% increase will take effect from Tuesday 30th August 2022 and will mean a meal costs £2.40.

We know that over recent months situations have changed for some of our families, and we wanted to make sure that we are doing all we can to support you financially. If you are now in receipt of any of the following, then we can help you with an application for free school meals:

- 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 guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)

Free School Meal registration also means:

- Contributions towards school trips
- Your child is eligible for free places at HAF holiday clubs (through the governments HAF scheme)
- You will receive vouchers for high street supermarkets during the holiday periods (whilst government scheme is run)

Please contact the office 0116 2841500 or email office@rhf.learnat.uk if you would like support with registering or checking your eligibility.

Many thanks, RHF School Office

