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Universal Infant Free School Meals

What's it all about?

From September 2014, all children in reception, year 1 and year 2 in state-funded schools in England will receive free school meals. The aim is to improve academic attainment and save families money.

Universal free school meals for primary school pupils were a key recommendation in a recent review of school food produced independently for the Department for Education.

The review found that, in pilots where all children have been given a free school dinner, students were academically months ahead of their peers elsewhere and more likely to eat vegetables at lunchtime instead of less healthy food like crisps.

What does it mean for you?

If your child is in reception, year 1 or year 2 then they are entitled to free school meals at lunchtime as of September! ISS Education are your school caterers, which means that your child has access to a Bronze Food for Life Catering Mark accredited tasty and nutritious school meal. They can choose from a selection of main meal options, have unlimited access to our salad bar and enjoy a dessert, yoghurt or piece of fruit for afters!

SO, WHY CHOOSE A SCHOOL MEAL?

The School Food Plan findings suggest:

✓ Children who eat well at school are more likely to eat well as adults

✗ Only 1% of packed lunches meet nutritional standards!

✓ Children who eat better, learn better!

Our menus include at least 2 portions of fruit & vegetables per day

Our lunches cost £2.25 a day - or are free if your child is eligible for free school meals!

No need for last minute lunchbox assembling; we've got it covered! School lunches can save you time & money, so don't worry – leave it to us

Pupils who dine with us can get involved in our themed events which are interactive & educational

Contact us to find out more!

If you have any questions or want to find out more about our service then please get in touch!

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