



3rd March 2009,

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope you do not take offence at being given this letter by your child's class teacher.

The school needs to have as many people as possible registered for Free School Meals for very good reasons:

1. Your children will receive their entitlement to a warm healthy meal every day they are at school
2. The Government use this information to make a judgement on how well the school is performing. On occasions this information will be used to secure extra funding that we would not otherwise get.
3. The school use the information to sensitively include all of our children in the and trips and activities that we offer

Even if you do not wish to claim your entitlement, the school needs your help as the more people we have registered for Free School Meals the more help we can get for our school and your child.

Yours sincerely

Mr. P. McDowell
Headteacher