

30th June, 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you know, we always strive to keep the cost of school meals as low as possible. While the rise in food prices has slowed, the national minimum wage increased by 9.47% in April, significantly affecting the cost of providing meals.

We are committed to serving our children healthy, freshly prepared meals cooked from scratch wherever possible. It is with this in mind and to ensure we can continue to do so, from 1st September 2025 the cost of a school meal will increase to £2.75 per day (£13.75 per week) for Years 3 to 6.

We believe that £2.75 for a nutritious, two-course hot lunch still represents excellent value for money. We are grateful for your ongoing support and hope you will continue to choose this option for your children.

Please ensure that all meals are paid for in advance via Parent Pay to avoid any arrears.

If your financial circumstances have changed, your child may be eligible for Free School Meals. For support or more information, please contact the school office, or apply online at: <https://www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/free-school-meals>

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,



Alison Moon
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