



GILLIBRAND Primary School

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Headteacher: Mrs A Clayton

Monday 6th April 2020

Free School Meals

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you may be aware, the government will be providing weekly £15 vouchers for children who are entitled to free school meals.(FSM) This scheme will start on 20th April, and I have registered the children who are currently on this list in school. It has been announced that this scheme will also apply over Easter, but I have not had any official confirmation of this yet.

This voucher scheme does not apply to children who have been receiving free school meals in reception, Year 1 and Year 2-this is known as universal free school meals-this only applies to any children in school whose parents are in receipt of certain benefits. When school returns, this will also mean you will still be entitled to receive a free school meal each day for your child.

If you feel you qualify for this, then please apply following the link below.

https://lancashire-self.achieveservice.com/service/Free_school_meals_and_pupil_premium

I believe that Lancashire County Council is working hard to process these applications as quickly as possible. If your application is successful, then please make sure you check that school has an up to date email address for you as this voucher will be sent electronically and can be used in a number of supermarkets.

If you do not have a working email address, then school will receive your voucher and you will be able to collect it on a weekly basis.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by email. head@gillibrand.lancs.sch.uk

Thank you,
Stay safe,

Mrs. A Clayton
Headteacher

