

FINAL REMINDER: FREE SCHOOL MEALS 2026

The way families apply for Free School Meals has changed. If your child is eligible, you now need to apply to make sure they can continue receiving free meals in school.



If you have not applied, the school will **not be able to continue providing Free School Meals from Monday 21 September.**

Please do not miss out – apply today using link below



We have written to families about this previously, and this is a **final reminder.**

Free School Meal eligibility will not automatically renew each year, so even if your child has received Free School Meals before, you still need to make sure the application has been completed.

Please apply as soon as possible using the link below.

It is also important to apply because the school receives **additional funding linked to eligible pupils.** This funding helps us provide wider support, opportunities and resources for your child and other pupils across the school.

Please do not miss out – apply today using this link:

<https://fsm.lgfl.net/>

There is an FAQ section within the tracker to assist with any queries:

<https://lgfl.net/services/free-school-meals/faq>

Is my child eligible for free school meals?

From September 2026, free school meals in England have expanded to all children in households receiving Universal Credit, regardless of how much you earn.

It's one of the biggest changes to free school meals in years, with over half a million more children expected to qualify.

Run a free eligibility check now to find out straight away whether your child qualifies for free school meals.



<https://fsm.lgfl.net/app>