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Dear families,

My Child at School (MCAS) Online Payments – school dinners

As your child moves to Year 3, they no longer receive free school meals under the government Universal Infant Free School Meal scheme.

If you are now required to pay for your child's lunch, payment can be made via the MCAS app.

How do I make a payment in MCAS?

Please click on the link below for instructions on how to top up Dinner Money in your MCAS account.

[Dinner Money Top up](#)

Top up your child's Dinner Money account on MCAS before 1st September. School dinners are priced at £2.55 per day or £12.75 per week for years 3-6.

If you are having any problems with downloading and accessing the app, or require any support with online payments, please call the main reception on 01274 089920 or email us on info@dixonsmb.com

Am I eligible for free school meals?

We wrote to all families last term regards the changes to free school meals for all families on Universal Credit. Thank you to those families who have completed the online eligibility form.

If you haven't yet checked your eligibility, you can complete a secure check directly at <https://fsm.lgfl.net/app>.

Simply enter the parent/carer's details and you will receive an instant result. Please ensure you select the correct local authority (Bradford) and academy (Dixons Marchbank Primary) so the school can verify eligibility.

We kindly request that all families complete the check, even if you know you are not eligible, so that we can update our school records.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,



Rebecca Greenwood
Principal