

28 August 2026

Dear families,

Milk in Years 1 and 2

School milk provides your child with essential nutrients, such as calcium and protein, for strong, healthy teeth and bones. It is also rehydrating and energy boosting, helping to bridge the long gap between breakfast and lunch so children stay focused in lessons.

If your child wishes to enjoy milk during the new academic year, thanks to government subsidies, the cost will be £40.00 for the whole year.

You can make payment via the MCAS app. For help with using the MCAS app, please follow the link below and go to page 9 for information on how to make a payment in the Store- DMB School Shop.

<https://www.dixonsmb.com/uploads/files/dixonsmb/MCAS-Parent-App-new-UI-June-2024-Quick-Guide-1.pdf?v=1724938563>

Please do not send money into school. We are not accepting cash payments as MCAS is our preferred method of payment.

Payment should be made in full by Friday 4 September and milk will be available in class from this date.

Please check with your child that they would like to have milk before you pay for it. We have found milk is being wasted as some children are choosing not to drink it.

If your child is entitled to benefit-related Free School Meals, they will be entitled to free School Milk. **If this is the case, please let us know if your child chooses not to have milk this year to avoid unnecessary expense and wastage.**

If you have any questions regarding milk, using the MCAS app or benefit-related free school meals, please contact the main office.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Greenwood
Principal