



Beeston Primary School

Town Street, Leeds, LS11 8PN

"Engage, Enjoy, Enrich, Excel"

Friday 23rd May 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Leeds City Council Catering provide Beeston Primary School pupils with healthy, nutritious school meals and cater for all allergies, intolerances and individual dietary requirements.

Unfortunately, due to continued rising food costs and associated further price increases from LCC Catering, the charge per school meal will regrettably increase from the start of the Autumn Term.

From Monday 1st September 2025, the price of school meals will increase to £2.86 per day

Pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will continue to be entitled to Free School Meals through the Universal Infant Free School Meals Scheme. Meals in Nursery are also increasing in price from 1st September 2025 and will be chargeable at £2.68 per day.

Pupils in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 and Nursery may be entitled to Free School Meals if parents/carers are in receipt of the following benefits.

- Income Support
- Income based Job Seeker's Allowance
- Income based Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit with an annual income of less than £16,190
- The Guaranteed element of the State Pension Credit
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- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Universal Credit with an annual income of less than £7,400

Please note: if parents/carers are in receipt of Working Child Tax Credit, your child will not qualify.

We encourage you to make an application for FSM if you think that you may be eligible. Please contact the school office if you would like a paper copy of the application form. Applications for Free School Meals can also be completed using the link below:

<https://www.leeds.gov.uk/schools-and-education/apply-for-free-school-meals>

If you require any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 0113 2716978 or via email - mainoffice@beestonprimary.org.

Thank you for your continued support,

On behalf of the Governing Board
Beeston Primary School

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