

'Learning together, loving others, guided by God'

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Dear Parents/Carers

UNIVERSAL INFANT FREE SCHOOL MEALS - Year R, Year 1 + Year 2

THURSDAY 5th OCTOBER 2017 - 'FESTA ITALIANA'

MENU FOR THE DAY ON THE REVERSE OF THIS LETTER

I am sure that everyone is aware that all children in Early Years and KS1 (Reception to Year 2) are entitled to a hot school meal every day funded by the Government. The amount of money the school receives in grant is dependent on the number of children having that meal on that day in the year.

On this day it is in everyone's interest to encourage as many children as possible to commit to eating the meal. The next Census day is **Thursday 5th October 2017** and to have the best possible chance of a high uptake the catering company will be having a 'Festa Italiana', serving *Pizza (veg) or Pasta Bolognese (beef), with garlic bread* (see menu on reverse).

Some schools are asking parents not to send pack lunches in to school on that day for KS1 children and for there to be a whole school approach to hot school meals thus ensuring that the school receives full funding entitlement.

It would be very helpful to the school's financial situation if every KS1 child sat down to a hot school meal on **Thursday 5th October 2017**.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jo MacGovern Headteacher



