

## **Free School Meal (benefit related) provision**

The Local Authority are changing how we provide a free school meal for children that are currently eligible for benefits related free school meals who are not in school because of the partial closure due to Covid-19. Children who are in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 who have 'Universal Free School Meals' are not eligible.

Free School Dinners will be prepared slightly different. Instead of the individual pack ups that some of you have been picking up, they are now going to provide a weekly pack that will consist of a loaf of bread, sandwich fillings and snacks/fruit. It is planned that this will last parents a week to be able to make their own pack up at home. By doing this it will mean parents are better able to 'stay home' as advised, coming out for this only once a week, rather than daily. The grocery bags are being prepared from 'hub' kitchens and will be delivered to our school.

The plan:

- our bags will be ready for collection by 12 noon
- collect your bag from the main entrance and acknowledge to a member of staff
- there will be a bag for each child that is eligible
- once you have the lunch please leave the premises immediately.

For those who do still require 'Weekly Packs' please confirm by contacting the school as soon as possible on 842246 or email [help.oakfield@gmail.com](mailto:help.oakfield@gmail.com).

Thank You

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