



Re: Free School Meals

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Dear parents/carers,

On Friday we contacted you to find out your preferences regarding FSM during school closure. Shop Vouchers were your preference.

We tried on Friday and again today to access/set up the voucher system however the information sent to us states the national scheme for FSM vouchers is being developed still. We will check information daily and when it is available we will set it up and contact you.

As an interim measure I have purchased a Sainsbury voucher for £25 for you. This equates to £2.50 daily for the next two weeks, by which time I hope details of the National FSM Scheme are available. It is your choice how you spend this to feed your children.

These vouchers can be picked up from school. Please phone to let us know you are coming and we will have the voucher ready for you. We will leave the voucher on the front door for you to support self-distancing measures recommended by the Government.

At times like these it is unfortunate that some people try to take advantage. I have heard there are scams relating to FSM. Companies/individuals are asking parents of FSM children to complete a form with their details and say they will ensure they are reimbursed for additional costs due to FSM. I share this with you to make you aware and enable you to protect yourself.

Look after yourselves.

With kind regards,

Zoe Avastu