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Dear Parents,

Did you know that if your child is eligible for 'benefit- related free school meals' and you register them for this, the school will receive extra funding for your child called 'pupil premium'.

At Fleckney Primary the Pupil Premium is used to provide a range of support for eligible pupils including:

- Financial support for educational visits and trips
- Support for other enrichment activities
- A planned programme of intervention and access to specialist support where appropriate
- Access to books and ICT equipment to support identified learning needs

Who can get Free School Meals?

All pupils in Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to Universal Free Meals. This is **not** the same as Benefit-Related Free School Meals (FSM).

You may be eligible for Benefit-Related Free School Meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance or Employment and Support Allowance
Support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Universal Credit, provided you have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400

It is important to register for FSM even if your child has a packed lunch every day to ensure that we can offer you the correct financial assistance.

How can I apply for Free School Meals?

You can apply through the Leicestershire County Council portal:

<https://leicestershire.cloud.servelec-synergy.com/Synergy/>. This will be the same portal you used to apply for the school place for your child. You will need to have your National Insurance Number to hand when you apply.

If you need any assistance please contact the School Office team who will be happy to help.

Yours sincerely

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