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Learning for Life!



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Free School Meals Vouchers – February Half-Term

Sheffield City Council plans to provide food vouchers for 30,500 children and young people across the city for the February half term holiday. The Government has provided a Household Support Grant to assist with food and energy costs over the winter period. Sheffield City Council recognises that many families continue to face financial difficulties because of the pandemic, changes to Universal Credit, and rising costs for food and energy.

A £15 food voucher will be sent to the following groups to help over the half term holiday:

- Families who claim income based Free School Meals
- Families who get income assessed Early Years Support (2-4 Year Olds)

The Council aim to have the voucher letters sent out to parents by second class post, and parents will receive them **w/c Monday 31st January**. The letter will include the website link for Edenred and clear instructions on how to download the voucher, but do get in touch with us if they need help with downloading or printing their vouchers.

As before, parents/carers need to go to the following website to redeem their vouchers - www.selectyourcompliment.co.uk/grocery
Enter their unique 16-digit e-Code and select their chosen supermarket. Edenred give them a choice of 10 supermarkets: Aldi, Tesco, Asda, Morrisons, Sainsbury's, Waitrose, M&S, McColl's, Iceland and Farmfoods.

Parents/Carers are able to download their vouchers for more than one supermarket. For example, £10 for Aldi and £5 for Asda.

The downloaded E-Gift Card/Voucher will arrive by email within 24 hours. If you can't find this, you should check their Junk/Spam folder

Any child/young person that becomes eligible for a food voucher between 21th January and 13th February will be sent a voucher letter w/c 20th February.

Arts Week

From **Monday 31st January through to Friday 4th February 2022**, Stradbroke Primary School will be holding their very own **Arts Week**. During the school week, the children will have the opportunity to create, compose, perform, experience and participate in a range of learning activities dedicated to the Arts. Each year group have been assigned either a singing, dancing, filming, acting or a form of arts project to share with the rest of the school by the end of the week. We will be sharing all of our talents on Twitter to celebrate with family and friends, so please make sure you check out our Twitter account @StradbrokePri for updates (this can also be accessed through the homepage of our website).

Parking Around School

The zig-zag road markings outside the school gates not only indicate that you cannot park on them, but also that it is an offense to wait or even momentarily stop whilst dropping children off. This is a safety measure as children and parents are often stepping off the pavements in these zones in order to enter school. As we have staggered start times, there should be ample parking space slightly further away from the school for people to use at the start and end of the day. Please consider the safety of the children and park away from the zig-zags when dropping off. Thank you.

Best Wishes,

Mr John Stitch
Headteacher