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Dear parent/carer,

We want to make sure that we are providing your child with the best education and support we can. Healthy school food has obvious health benefits and can help pupils establish healthy habits for life. Healthy school food can also help to improve pupils' readiness to learn.

Families of all children who receive certain benefits, including those that are entitled to Universal Free School Meals for children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, may also be eligible for free school meals (Pupil Premium). Your child is eligible for free school meals if you're in receipt of one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400.
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

Registering for free meals at this stage would ensure your child would continue to receive free school meals once they enter Year 3.

This would also raise an extra £1,320 per annum throughout your child's time at primary school, to fund valuable support like extra tuition, resources, additional teaching staff or after school activities.

This additional money is available from central government for every child whose parent is receiving one of the benefits listed above.

For further information and to apply, please visit:

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schools-and-colleges/school-meals>

We ask that, if you think you are eligible, you complete this form as a matter of priority.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Craig Hayes', written in a cursive style.

Craig Hayes

Executive Headteacher