



Friday 12th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

GET EXTRA FUNDING FOR YOU & OUR SCHOOL

All pupils currently receive free meals in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. However, we would still like to check if your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium Grant. If you are eligible for this funding, your child may also continue to receive free school meals when they are no longer in the infants.

Registering for free school meals could also raise an extra £1,515 for our school, to fund valuable support like extra tuition, additional teaching staff, after school activities and trips. If your child is eligible for free school meals, they'll also qualify for the [Holiday Activity and Food Programme \(HAF\)](#). HAF gives your child access to free holiday clubs during Easter, the summer holidays and Christmas. Food vouchers may also be available through the [Household Support Fund](#).

You will only need to complete this form ONCE and it will last for the duration of your child's time at their current school.

Families who receive certain benefits may be eligible for free school meals. Your child is eligible for free school meals if you're in receipt of one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit - if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)
- 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 state Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax 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)

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

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If you believe you may be eligible you need to apply via the Parent Portal on the Lincolnshire County Council website.

www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-pupil-support/apply-free-school-meals

Q: What information is essential on the survey?

- A: Parent details must include:
Title, Forename, Surname
Address (first line of address, Town, Postcode)
National Insurance Number
Contact telephone number
E-mail address
If a parent has a previous surname, this must also be included (must be the surname which is attached to the benefit claim).
- B: Pupil details must include:
Forename, Surname
Date of Birth
Gender

If you are unable to apply using the portal or would like some help to make an application, please contact the school office. You can provide the above information over the telephone or via our enquiries@grimoldbyprimaryschool.co.uk email address and we will happily input it for you.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Hayley Thomas
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