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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Change to Pupil Milk Allocation – Effective from Monday 3rd November

Over the past few weeks, we have been trialling the provision of pupil milk at different times during the school day. This trial aimed to encourage greater uptake and to help reduce waste, ensuring that all eligible pupils benefit fully from their milk entitlement.

We are pleased to report that pupils have responded positively to having milk at **lunchtimes**, with significantly improved consumption and less waste. Based on this success, we will be making this change permanent. From **Monday 3rd November**, all pupils will be able to access milk with their lunch. This applies **regardless of eligibility for means-tested benefits or whether they have a school lunch or a packed lunch**.

By moving milk provision to lunchtime, we are not only ensuring that more pupils enjoy their milk but also making more sustainable use of resources by reducing the amount of milk that goes unused or discarded.

We hope this change continues to support pupils' health and wellbeing in a more efficient and environmentally conscious way.

Please note that **nursery pupils will continue to receive their milk during their sessions within the nursery setting**, as this remains the most suitable time for them.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

S.J Carroll

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