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20th March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

Free School Meals during school closure

During the school closure from Monday 23rd March 2020 we will still provide a free school meal for your child/children if they qualify for Free School Meals.

We can provide either:

- Option A Supermarket voucher for total value of FSM each fortnight. You (or your nominated representative) must collect these vouchers from the school.
- Option B Fortnightly collection or delivery of some fresh vegetables and fruit, dry foods (eg pasta and rice) and tins (subject to availability) which will enable you to provide a lunch each day for your child. It will include ingredients and items that will need some preparation. We will not be able guarantee that it will meet your child's dietary tastes or allergen requirements. A list of foods included and allergens will be provided with the box. We plan to have these boxes ready for you to collect from the school on Tuesday afternoon but confirmation of these arrangements will be sent out on Monday by email.

Delivery of your Option B will be made to your home IF YOU ARE SELF-ISOLATING – we will not be able to specify the exact delivery time but you will need to be in to receive your delivery. We will let you know your delivery slot once all orders have been received. In order to maintain social distancing we will put the food in bags on your door step and knock/ring doorbell – we will then retreat to 2 metres – if you do not come to collect the food bag/box from the doorstep we will take it back to the school.

- Option C Hot lunches will be provided to children who are still attending school.

Please let the office your choice of Option A, B or C by contacting us directly or emailing office@rivermead.wilts.sch.uk if you would like to take up this offer by 9AM MONDAY 23RD MARCH 2020, so we can plan as best we can.

Yours sincerely

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