

Universal Infant Free School Meals



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Do you have children who will attend Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 from September 2014 at your local school?

If this is the case your children will be eligible for a freshly prepared hot lunch free of charge. The Government has introduced a scheme for Free School Meals for all children attending the first three years at school.

This is very exciting news and has fantastic benefits for children, parents and the schools. Not only are school meals delicious and healthy but also save parents more than £400 yearly per child.

This initiative is seen as a major scheme to improve eating habits in the young, with evidence showing a significant link between a good diet and a positive impact on performance at school. Pilot projects which tested universal free school meals showed that they give your child a real appetite for learning and help them to achieve their full potential.

Hertfordshire Catering Limited, the largest school meals provider in Hertfordshire, has been busy ensuring school kitchens are prepared to deliver the service in September at Hertfordshire's schools.

Should you choose to take up this entitlement, your child will receive a hot, freshly prepared nutritious meal each school day, prepared by skilled HCL staff.

A copy of the menu that will be in operation from September 2014 can be accessed on HCL's website, so you can see the choices available. For further details on eligibility, please contact your school.

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