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Dear Parents and Carers

Census Day School Lunch

You will all be aware of the continued challenges we are currently facing around funding in schools. Thursday 6th October 2022 is our school census day when the local authority counts our school meal numbers in order to calculate the funding we will receive the following academic year. **Therefore the more children who have a school meal on that day the more funding we get.** Please support us to get more funding to benefit our children by encouraging your child to have a school dinner, or school packed lunch, on this day.

We quite understand that your child may never choose school dinners and we don't expect those children to have a hot meal, but for those in two minds, we would appreciate a little encouragement!

We have swapped Thursday and Friday's menu choices around for next week only. The menu for Thursday 6th October 2022 will be;

- Sweet potato and lentil curry with a blend of brown and white rice and vegetable of the day
- Baked fish fingers with chips and vegetable of the day
- Ham wrap and salad
- Iced caked for dessert

The menu for Friday 7th October 2022 will be;

- Vegetarian sausages and Yorkshire pudding with roast potatoes, vegetable of the day and gravy
- Sliced pork and Yorkshire pudding with roast potatoes, vegetable of the day and gravy
- A choice of desserts will be available

We hope that you appreciate that we need to do everything we can to ensure we have as much funding as possible to support your children.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'S Hosmer'.

Sian Hosmer

Headteacher