



Wednesday 15th July 2020

Dear Parents,

I wanted to contact you to give you an update with the summer's arrangements for free school meals entitlement. As stated in a previous letter, instead of the hampers, which we have been ordering during the lockdown and partial opening period, we have signed everyone up to receive the Eden Red vouchers. I have enclosed information from the website overleaf. **It is essential that we have your up-to-date email details for this to work!**

The arrangements for the voucher delivery are as follows. By the end of next Wednesday 22nd July, you should receive your first email which will give you a refundable voucher off your weekly shopping for £15 per eligible child. If you do not receive this email by the end of the day, please use the school text service to let me know; this way we can check we have the correct details for you.

Date	Allocated voucher per child
Wednesday 22 nd July	£15 (1 week x £15)
Wednesday 29 th July	£75 (5 weeks x £15)

If all goes well and it works, our intention is for the next week to allocate the rest of the funding for the rest of the summer holidays in one go. This way, we know that you will have received your allocation and that is that job done!

If you have any enquires about this, please contact Mrs. Mitchell in the school office.

Kindest regards,

Mr. Williams



What's the difference between an eCode and an eGift card?

eCode – this is the 16 digit code which your school may email or text to you. You'll need this code to access www.freeschoolmeals.co.uk and choose your supermarket eGift card. You cannot use the eCode directly with the retailer, it must be exchanged for an eGift card.

eGift card – each supermarket has their own eGift card. To order your eGift, redeem your eCode at www.freeschoolmeals.co.uk. The eGift card will be sent to the email address entered during check-out and can be spent instore at the chosen supermarket. Alternatively your school may order your eGift card for you and print it and post it, or arrange for you to collect it.

How do I use my eCode to select a supermarket eGift card?

You should order your supermarket eGift at home before going to the store. To select your supermarket eGift card, follow the steps below:

1. Copy eCode from your email or text message
2. Go to www.freeschoolmeals.co.uk
3. Enter the 16 digit eCode (you can enter more than one eCode if you have more than one to redeem)
4. Select a supermarket
5. Enter the amount and add to basket
6. Checkout and enter the email address you would like the eGift card sent to
7. Your eGift card will be processed and sent (please allow up to 24 hours for it to be delivered to your inbox). Read the How to use your free school meals voucher user guide to find out how.

What supermarkets can I pick from?

The below supermarkets are available:

- Morrisons
- Tesco
- Sainsbury's
- Asda
- Waitrose (John Lewis)
- M&S food
- Aldi
- McColl's (including RS McColl's and Martin's)
- Iceland
- Company Shop Group