



Hathern C of E Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Our school meals are provided by Leicestershire County Council School Food Support Service (SFSS). The meals they provide are nutritionally balanced and prepared using seasonal, locally sourced and where possible, organic produce.



Each day pupils have a **choice of two hot meals**. Each meal comes with vegetables and a side such as garlic bread or baguette. Salad is always available. A dessert is offered as well as fresh fruit salad every day.

The **cost** of the school meal to **Key Stage 2** is **£2.30**. Meals can be paid weekly, monthly or termly.

How do I choose?

Parents of Foundation and Key Stage 1 children are already used to the **School Meal Selector** whereby parents talk with their children about which meals they would like to have each day for the following week (printed on the reverse of the form). The tick boxes are completed and the form is returned to school on or before the Friday. Key Stage 2 are expected to inform staff at Cross Street on a daily basis.

What if my child doesn't like the options?

The menu has been carefully planned with children being consulted on what they would like to eat for lunch. The meals offered are varied yet familiar to the children. Our hope is that children will find something they like each day and we would like you to encourage your children to give new foods a try. Of course, if there really is nothing that your child will eat, then a healthy packed lunch would be the last option.

The quality of food provided will be monitored regularly and feedback from the children will be gathered when deciding on menu revisions.

Yours sincerely,

Mr S Dunn,
Headteacher

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