## **Parentpay Update & Reminder to Parents**

Our catering provider introduced the ParentPay cashless system for school meal payments from September. Thank you to everyone who has registered on Parentpay, but there is still a high percentage of parents who have not registered. The benefits of this are:

- Safe: no cash handling
- Secure: Set up payments online to pay for meals
- Peace of mind: Manage your account and see when meals have been taken and how much your child has spent
- Faster: Reduces queues with faster transactions at the till
- No identification of pupils on free school meals

It is important that you set up your Parentpay account by October half term, for your child to purchase school meals. Pupils can only pay for meals through Parentpay with their unique QR code or pin number.

If you require activation details or a QR code or Pin Number, please email <a href="mailto:parentpay@northtyneside.gov.uk">parentpay@northtyneside.gov.uk</a>