



ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL WRIGHTINGTON MILK IN SCHOOLS

School is responsible for the operation of the Milk In Schools Scheme, previously delivered by Lancashire County Council. Under this scheme 189ml semi-skimmed milk is available each day for all pupils in Key Stage One and Key Stage Two.

The current charge to parents is **£15.90** for the **SPRING** term. This amount is payable before the commencement of each term and does not provide for either refund or credits with respect to non-attendances.

The supply of milk will be free of charge to any child who is in receipt of free school meals (not Universal Free School Meals), and to those children who are under 5 years of age for the entire term (ie do not turn 5 until after 29th March 2024).

Some of the benefits of milk for young children:

- **Milk is packed with calcium, needed to build strong bones**
- **It provides a broad range of other essential minerals and a wide range of vitamins**
- **It is a great source of body-building protein and energy, and helps concentration levels in the classroom**

Please make payment, if required, by **WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER 2023** to enable the order to be placed with our milk supplier. **After this date the payment item will be removed from ParentPay.**

Milk will be ordered for your child if they are entitled to free milk. However, if they do not want milk please email **school.info@st-josephs-wrightington.lancs.sch.uk**.

V Gleeson, Acting Head

