



School Address: **St Mary's Catholic Primary School**
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APPLICATION FORM FOR FREE SCHOOL MEALS

A Free School Meal is paid for by the Government and is provided to a child free of charge.

Does your Child Qualify?

Who is eligible for free school meals?

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400.
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

In addition, the following pupils will be protected against losing their free school meals as follows:

- From 1st April 2018, all existing free school meals claimants will continue to receive free school meals whilst Universal Credit is rolled out. This will apply even if their earnings rise above the new threshold during that time.
- In addition, any child gaining eligibility for free school meals after 1st April 2018 will be protected against losing free school meals during the Universal Credit rollout period.
- Once Universal Credit is fully rolled out, any existing claimants that no longer meet the eligibility criteria at that point (because they are earning above the threshold or are no longer in receipt of Universal Credit) will continue to receive free school meals until the end of the current phase of education (i.e. primary or secondary).

The Universal Credit rollout is currently expected to complete in March 2022.

Please remember that a pupil is only eligible to receive a free school meal when a claim has been made on their behalf, and their eligibility has been verified by the school or the local authority.

To be completed by the Parent or Guardian (please print in block capitals)

Full Name:

Date of Birth:

National Insurance Number:

If your partner is the parent or guardian of your child, and your partner but not you are receiving benefits please confirm:

Full Name:

Date of Birth:

National Insurance Number:

Full names of dependent children who attend St Mary's Catholic Primary School:

Surname	First name	Date of Birth	Boy/Girl	Class

DECLARATION

I declare that the information I have given here is true and complete, and I authorize the school to check these details with all relevant internal or external agencies. I also declare I will notify the school immediately of any change of circumstances which might discontinue to entitlement of my child/children to receive a free school meal.

SIGNED: _____

DATE: _____