

## **Ebrington Primary & Nursery School**

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## **Dear Parent**

We have now received confirmation on how school meal provision will look in the lead up to the Easter break. Please see details outlined below.

School meals will be available to all pupils in <u>Nursery-P3</u>, who start back to face to face teaching for two weeks on Monday 8 March. Please ensure you use the SchoolMoney App booking system at least the day before the meal is required. This is applicable to all pupils, whether entitled to free school meals or paid. Office staff today worked with Foyle HUB Catering to make adjustments to the menu choices and these should now be available online for booking.

School meals will also be available to any key worker pupils who are in school from Monday 8 March and who ARE NOT ENTITLED to free school meals. These, again, should be booked online as normal. Of course, there remains the option of bringing a packed lunch.

Education Authority updated all schools yesterday and have ensured that FSM payments will continue to be made directly to families who have pupils in <u>Primary 4-7</u> for the weeks beginning Monday 8 and Monday 15 March. This means that any FSM key worker pupils should bring a packed lunch to school during this period.

Due to the move back to remote learning week beginning Monday 22 March, no school meals will be available to any key worker pupils in school. They should bring in a packed lunch, as has been the arrangement since the start of January.

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I hope this clarifies a few areas of uncertainty.	

Kind regards

**B** Guthrie