Headteacher: Mrs Anne Crane Deputy Headteacher: Mrs Smaldon Assistant Headteacher: Mr Freeman

Free School Meals

Universal School Meals are free for all pupils up to and including Year 2. However, school receives additional funding for pupils eligible for *Means tested* Free School Meals. Please take a moment to read the eligibility criteria and get in touch if you need any support applying.

Your child may be able to get free school meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)

Children who get paid these benefits directly, instead of through a parent or guardian, can also get free school meals.

If you do not qualify for most benefits (also known as having 'no recourse to public funds'), your child may still be eligible for free school meals. Please ask the office if you are unsure whether you're eligible.

Apply via new.calderdale.gov.uk/benefits/free-school-meals