



26th April 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to thank you for your understanding regarding the school canteen. We are working hard to resolve the problem and hope to be able to provide our usual service as soon as possible. In the meantime, we require all students to bring a pack up. Students who receive free school meals will continue to receive a cold meal and drink at school. We are also unable to provide our usual breakfast service.

We appreciate that some students may need to buy items for their lunch, from a local outlet. We ask that this is done before students enter the school site in a morning; the local stores are open before school. We are not in the position to allow students to leave the school site at lunchtime; we are not able to supervise students should they be off site and nor is it sensible or reasonable for large groups of students to be leaving school at lunchtime. Students who have extenuating circumstances will be considered on an individual basis and you should contact the head of year in the first instance.

We do recognise that our current lack of canteen does cause significant inconvenience for our students and their families but we re-iterate that the issue is beyond our control.

We thank you for your patience in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs C F Hewerdine
(Headteacher)