

September 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 11 Food and Nutrition – Ingredient Payments

As part of the Year 11 Food and Nutrition curriculum, pupils will continue to take part in regular practical cooking lessons. To support this, we are asking for a contribution towards the cost of ingredients.

For Year 11, the contribution will be £10 per term, covering ingredients for practical sessions and the cost of disposables/containers to bring food home in. This ensures that all pupils can work with the same ingredients while helping to keep costs manageable for families.

Payment schedule:

- First payment (£10) – due week commencing **6th October 2025**
- Second payment (£10) – due week commencing **2nd February 2026**
- Alternatively, full payment of £20 can be paid

Payments must be made via Arbor. Please ensure payments are made by the deadlines above so that your child can participate fully in the practical lessons. If your child is eligible for Pupil Premium funding, the school will cover the full cost of ingredients and disposables for practical cooking lessons, so no payment is required.

In addition, pupils will be completing their NEA (Non Examined Assessment) coursework which will require pupils to bring in their own ingredients. A letter to explain this will be issued in the coming weeks.

We appreciate your support in helping us deliver a consistent and engaging learning experience for all pupils.

If you have any concerns regarding payment, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,



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