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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Free School Meals Support in the Easter Holidays

We have been invited by Gloucestershire County Council to take part in an exciting programme called the Holiday Activities and Food Programme, during the Easter break. All families who qualify for Free School Meals are eligible. This programme is run by the Department for Education and contains recipes and ingredients to encourage families to cook together and try new dishes.

All families who are eligible and wish to take part need to sign up for a Home Cooking Kit by 9.00 a.m. on Friday 19th March via the Council's sign up page found [here](#). If you need support with this, please contact Reception on 01594 843202 and they will talk you through the questions and complete the questionnaire for you.

Those parents who do sign up will then be contacted and asked to collect their parcel from school on Wednesday 31st March at an allotted time.

Please note that this is in addition to the voucher scheme which has been running throughout holidays since lockdown and vouchers will still be emailed to you should you choose not to take part in the scheme.

If you received Free School Meals vouchers in half term, these will also automatically continue. You need to sign up separately for the Easter box using the link above.

Yours sincerely

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