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Changes to School Dinner Menu

Dear Families,

Hopefully by now you have all had chance to log onto the new school dinner ordering platform 'School Grid' and started to choose your child's menu choices for the coming weeks.

We're really excited by the changes that School Grid will bring especially the flexibility for our older children to switch between school dinner and packed lunch each day and no more choosing your menu on pieces of paper that often went missing!

We have chosen to add another hot menu choice to the menu for most days; this is what many families had asked us for so that children are not always limited to just one hot meal choice in the winter months when it is cold outside. I know that some of you are worried about the sandwich option not being available every day but please be assured that we have kept the jacket potato option each day too and feel that this plus two warm meal options will still give a varied menu with enough options to suit all children's taste.

As with everything change we make at Cambrai we will be closely monitoring the effectiveness of the School Grid system over the coming weeks and the menu will be reviewed after Christmas. It is likely that in the warmer months we will reintroduce a cold option again.

Don't forget that all children in Reception to Year 2 get a free school meal so as always we strongly encourage that all pupils take up this free offer from the Government. If you are worried about this please get in touch and we will talk to you about how we work with the children to make sure they never go hungry. We have had some real successes with picky eaters, so please trust us!

Yours sincerely



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