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Dear Parents and Carers

***Did you know ... just registering your child for Free School Meals means that the school gets extra money?***

***Register now to make sure we don't miss out***

The Government is giving money to schools to help children from lower income families do their very best. This funding is called a 'Pupil Premium'.

**For every child registered St. Catherine's Catholic School gets £935 for 2017-18.**

With this money we could invest in more materials, tuition opportunities and supplementary learning. If you are registered for Free School Meals you could also get help with costs of school trips.

**Please register as soon as possible to make sure your child and others in their class don't miss out.**

**How does it work?**

- Registering is quick and easy – if you think you qualify, visit <https://pps.lgfl.org.uk>
- If you want your child to have a free, healthy meal at lunchtime that's great – they will get the free meal (saving you more than £350 a year), extra benefits and the school gets £935 extra.
- If you don't want your child to have the school meals they can continue as normal – as long as you qualify and are registered, the school still gets £935 extra.

***No one will know you have registered and it will not affect any other benefits you are claiming.***

**Do you qualify?**

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