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Food Vouchers, Easter Holidays and Home Learning

Dear families,

I just wanted to update you on three things:

- Vouchers for families entitled to free school meals
- Plans for the Easter holidays
- Home Learning

Vouchers for families entitled to free school meals

A few of our parents have asked about food vouchers potentially replacing free school meals. At the time of writing, I don't have enough information from the local authority to answer that but I do suspect that this may be the way forward in the coming weeks. As soon as I have any information, I will be sure to share it with you on our website. However, I am still expecting a delivery of free packed lunches on Monday so please keep coming in as normal between 1130am-100pm to collect them.

Plans for the Easter holidays

We do expect to be open for those families who need us over the Easter holidays. Our fantastic staff have agreed unanimously to make themselves available to support our school community for as long as we are able to and that includes what would ordinary be the Easter break.

Home Learning

The next two weeks worth of home learning will be distributed to every home in time for what would have been the start of the summer term (that's three weeks on Monday – the week beginning Monday 20th April). We are not setting work for what would have been the holidays but our website offers a whole range of online resources and ideas of things to do with your children.

Remember, we are available on every school day by phone or email. Please just get in touch if we can help in any way.

Stay safe. #rdpsfamily

Mr W Myers, Headteacher







