



St. John the Evangelist Catholic Academy

"Lord be thy word my rule."

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Due to food inflation rising in the region of 25% - 60% over the past years on certain common food items. The volatility within commodity prices has many causes including, but not limited to: large increases in energy costs (business energy costs not being capped), transport costs, shipping and the rising costs of labour. Suppliers have passed these costs onto us and we can only absorb so much of the food increases given the other significant financial pressures facing us.

We have kept the increase to an absolute minimum, this will mean that the meals will continue to be subsidised by the Collegiate with the cost of providing the meal remaining in excess of what we will be charging.

The new prices as of 1st September 2023 are

Nursery	£2.40
Years 3-6	£3.10

If your child is eligible for Free School Meals or Universal Infant Free School Meals, these will continue to not be a charge. Should you believe your child may be eligible for Free School Meals, please ensure the office have your signed permission form so that we can check their eligibility on your behalf.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Walklet
Academy Manager
