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Dear Parent/Carer

5th November 2021

Re: Support for Winter Bills from Durham County Council's Household Support Grant

I am writing to confirm that families who are entitled to Free School Meals (not Universal Infant School Meals) will receive a one-off payment of £60 in the form of a voucher at the beginning of December 2021. The Local Authority have received funding from the government to support families with fuel and food bills over the winter period. You do NOT need to apply for this voucher – it will be sent to you automatically if you are entitled to Free School Meals based on your income.

We have been informed that we will receive the vouchers week commencing 30th November and they will be sent to our families who are registered for Free School Meals during the first week of December.

Even if your child brings a packed lunch, you will receive a voucher if they are entitled to Free School Meals based on your level of income.

If you have any questions regarding this scheme please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Yours sincerely

Mrs D Cross

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