



# Guilden Sutton Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parent,

Thank you to everyone who has activated their School Spider account. We now use this new system to send out whole school communication and payments for activities, trips and school dinners.

From Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March, your child's class teacher will no longer complete a morning dinner register. Please use the School Spider App to book and pay for your child's dinner in advance. We have included a step-by-step video guide. Please click on the links below or visit the school website under the Parent section (lunches & snacks).

**Reception & KS1:** <https://youtu.be/CAjAOvN4D4E>

**KS2:** <https://youtu.be/EEYGftSnm6k>

At present, the Government are funding all school dinners for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils through the Universal Free School Meals strategy. **Therefore, all these families whose child/children choose to have a school meal still DO NOT pay BUT need to choose a meal option for that day.**

Booking your child's meal choices via the School Spider App has many benefits. Parents pre-booking their days/ weeks or month's menu choices in advance, assists Ms. Rees and her team in food ordering therefore reducing waste and will also increase teaching and learning time in the classroom.

Please note, there will still be flexibility of choosing between school dinners and/or bringing in packed lunch. Using the menus on the school website will help involve your child/children with their meal choices for that week.

As this is something new to us all, I am sure there will be a few 'bumps in the road' until this becomes our established way of working.

Thank you to those who have already started booking their child's school dinners this way.

Please do not hesitate to contact the office if you have any questions or need support with this new process.

Many thanks in advance for your continued support,

Theresa Rainford