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Dear Parents/Carers,

Please can we ask if all parents/carers can apply for Free School Meals (FSM), even if you do not think your child will be eligible and/or they prefer a packed lunch. You may be eligible and have not realised or you may become eligible in the future and the system, once you have registered, checks regularly to check entitlement. An increase in FSM eligibility means that school receives more 'Pupil Premium' funding from the government. We use this extra money to improve the educational provision and resources of school.

Checking for eligibility and applying for FSMs is an easy online process. It is a short online application form, which can be completed by any parent/carer just to check if you meet the eligibility criteria as the results are instant. If you are already entitled to FSMs then this will continue, however you can still check on the online system.

To see if you are eligible and to apply for FSM then please log onto www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims-trafford and fill in the short online application form. You need to add each of your children separately. Please make sure you select **Victoria Park Junior School** (we can be found via our postcode M32 0XZ).

The link to the FSM online application form is also on our school website - Parents, Carers & Friends - School Dinners & Free School Meals, and on the Trafford Council website.

Thank you for your support.

Mr. Wilkinson

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