



# West Park

*'A caring school where we put pupils and their achievement first'*

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Dear West Park Families

## **Important Update Regarding Upcoming Price Adjustment for School Menu**

We are writing to inform you of an upcoming change in the price of catering items that will come into effect after half term on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February. We understand that any increase in cost can be challenging for families, and we want to assure you that this decision was not taken lightly.

We have been working with our caterers, Aspens, over several months to keep price increases to a minimum and have negotiated an average 4.99% increase overall. Due to significant increases in the cost of sourcing ingredients and rising operational expenses, we are no longer able to sustain the current price while maintaining the high quality and nutritional standards you expect for your children. Some items have increased and others have been maintained/reduced.

We remain dedicated to offering nutritious, balanced options that support your child's well-being. We have worked hard to keep this increase as low as possible. Please remember that if you do not already receive free school meals, you may be eligible. You can check your eligibility on [Free school meals - Derby City Council](#) and apply on our Website - [West Park School](#)

We sincerely hope you understand the need for this change and thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards

Scott McGregor  
Head