



# THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL

## A SPECIALIST SPORTS COLLEGE

London Road  
Buckingham  
MK18 1AT

Tel: 01280 812206

Fax: 01280 822525

Email: [office@buckingham-school.org](mailto:office@buckingham-school.org)

Website: [www.buckingham-school.org](http://www.buckingham-school.org)

Headteacher: Mr A McGinnes

14 June 2022

Dear Parent / Carer

### Increase in Cost of Food – School Canteen

The cost of living is an ongoing balance for us all, and one we strive to limit at the school. Our kitchen manager and canteen staff do a wonderful job of creating wholesome and enticing menu options for our students every week at a price that is accessible.

Over the last 18 months, our suppliers have increased their food prices, and whilst we have absorbed the cost so far, we have now unfortunately had no choice but to increase our prices as a result. We have kept this increase to an absolute minimum, just 6% across our offerings. This equates to roughly 10p on price. For example, the meal deal of meal, dessert and drink now costs £2.40.

We introduced this increase to students on our return to school following the Easter Holiday with a phased roll out, which we have now completed.

Menu options for our students are shared on our school Facebook page each week, along with full details in our canteens.

Additionally, details can be found on the school website: [Lunch Menu Options & Pricing](#)

Should your child/children have any questions, they should speak to our canteen staff in the first instance who will be happy to assist them.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours faithfully

**The Buckingham School**

---

*The Buckingham School is concerned that every student should have the opportunity to attend school activities/obtain equipment, regardless of their financial circumstances. As such, it may be possible to subsidise those students who would otherwise be unable to attend trips/purchase items. Please feel free to write in confidence to [finance@buckingham-school.org](mailto:finance@buckingham-school.org), if you wish to seek assistance, or obtain more information about Pupil Premium funding.*

