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Dear Parents and Carers,

At Saltergate, we are very fortunate in having our school meals cooked on-site and with ingredients from three main suppliers located within Yorkshire, which both reduces our carbon footprint and promotes local business. The staff in our kitchen work extremely hard and make every effort to meet the needs of all our children.

North Yorkshire have informed us that due to inflation and rising costs they are increasing the price of a daily meal. Although we recognise that this is a further increase, the school is not in a financial position to be able to subsidise this increase so from the 1st September 2023 the cost of a school lunch will increase to £3.20 per day (£16.00 per week.)

Your child may be eligible to receive a Free School Meal, so please follow the link below or come to the school office and we will be happy to help you apply.

<https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals>

Kind regards,

Mrs Jo Hall
Headteacher