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Food Waste Regulations

Dear Parents and Carers,

From 31st March 2025, all schools will have to comply with new food waste separation legislation. Food waste has an incredibly detrimental impact on the planet and the introduction of this new legislation reiterates the responsibility of schools to reduce their negative impact on the environment. We aim to increase our recycling rates and reduce the amount of waste sent for disposal. We also aim to provide a more sustainable environment within our school.

Pupils bringing a packed lunch to school will be asked to keep any food waste/litter within their packed lunch box. This enables parents and carers to monitor food consumption by their children and will simplify the separating of food waste in school.

We would also like to take this opportunity to ask if any school cutlery has been taken home by children, if it could please be returned.

Food waste bins and signage will be displayed around the school for children to use throughout the day as required.

We hope that parents and carers will support us to comply with the legislation and help promote a sustainable future for our children.

If you have any further queries, please contact the school office who will be happy to assist.

Warm regards,

Laura Hackett
Headteacher



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