



# HOLY TRINITY

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Dear Parents/Carers of Year 2,

Thank you for your feedback regarding the school lunches. We understand that you feel that the children do not have enough time to eat and they eat too late. As with everything to do with this new situation we find ourselves in, we are adapting our procedures while trying to make everything run smoothly and keeping all 15 classes separate.

I would like to reassure you that all children have 25min to eat regardless of when they eat their lunch. The lunch break is well staffed both inside and outside. Although we cannot change the time the classes in Year 2 go for lunch (the implications for secondary staff teaching those classes is significant), we can try to support you by trialling the following:

- Allowing children who are on packed lunches to start their lunch early at 12:15 while in the classroom – they would still go for lunch at the normal time too. This means they would have extra time to eat and it breaks up the amount they are trying to eat in one go. Hopefully they are not too full to eat their tea with you when they get home too which was another issues raised.
- Children who are on school dinners will be provided with extra snack at this time (we already have the free fruit) to help keep them going. They will still go for lunch at the normal time with the class.

We will begin this tomorrow and hopefully this will provide you with the reassurances that we are trying to do our best to resolve any issues while still keeping up to date with all the Government guidance.

Thank you for your ongoing support,

*K. E. Falconer*

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Head of Primary Phase

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