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Dear Parent/Carer

The government have not yet informed the local authority about the funding available for free school meals over the summer holidays. Please view the school website for further information about the HAF scheme that Marcus Rashford has launched I have put a link on the Parents Tab under the Free School Meal Information and Guidance page - https://stwilfridsceprimary.co.uk/parents/free-school-meals-information-guidance/

Manchester City Council will be providing a summer school programme which is for families entitled to free school meals. They will provide activities and meals throughout the summer holidays and you will need to sign up to make these arrangements for your child to participate. Further information will be released this week and we will keep you updated. *Please note that at the moment no provision has been made from the Government to provide supermarket vouchers over the summer holidays this scheme has been set up to replace them. (HAF)*

However, as has happened previously rather late in the term the Government have undertaken a U-turn and decided to provide the free school meal vouchers. In preparation for this happening we are making sure our system is up to date as they will not be providing physical vouchers if this does go ahead. These will be in the form of an electronic communication to your email or mobile. Therefore, to ensure you do not miss out please complete the form below with your details so we can check them against our system. If the scheme does go ahead it is likely you will receive these during the 6 weeks holiday in view of the late notice but you will be able to spend them when you receive them. We have set up a system with Wonde and will keep you informed if the scheme goes ahead and funding is received from Manchester City Council to provide these to you.

Child's Name:	Class:
Parent/Carer Name (please print clearly):	
Mobile Number:	
Email Address (please print clearly):	

Please return this form to your child's class teacher no later than Friday 2nd July 2021 or you may not be set up on the system in time for the vouchers to be processed should the scheme go ahead in the summer holidays.

Thank you for your support