

King Edwin Primary School



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Free Breakfast Clubs

Dear Parents and Carers,

At King Edwin Primary School, we are always looking at ways in which we can further support our children and families whilst providing the very best start to the school day.

You may be aware that the Government and Department for Education (DfE) have been working with schools to introduce funded breakfast club provision. Earlier in the development of this scheme, schools involved as “early adopter” schools experienced a number of initial teething issues linked to organisation, staffing and delivery. At that time, we felt it was important not to introduce a provision at KEPS until we were confident that we could offer a high-quality, well-organised experience for our children and families.

As the scheme has now become more established, we are beginning to explore the possibility of introducing a free DfE-funded Breakfast Club at King Edwin Primary School in the future.

To support our planning, we are asking parents and carers to share their views and indicate potential interest in the provision.

At this stage, the proposal would be for the Breakfast Club to run from 8:30am each morning in the school hall before children begin their school day.

Based on models used successfully in other schools, a typical breakfast club may include:

- A calm and welcoming start to the morning
- A selection of healthy breakfast foods such as: cereal, toast, bagels, fruit, yoghurt, milk or water
- Opportunities for children to socialise with friends
- Quiet games, colouring or other simple activities before classes begin
- Staff supervision to ensure a safe and positive environment

Breakfast clubs in other schools have been shown to support children’s wellbeing, punctuality, readiness to learn and social development, whilst also helping families with morning childcare arrangements.

Before making any decisions, it is important that we understand the level of interest across our school community so that we can carefully consider staffing, organisation, space and overall demand. We would therefore be very grateful if you could complete the short survey linked below. Your responses will help us calculate the possible uptake and support our planning for any future provision.

<https://forms.gle/u9tJ5eBy7tRJ2fqY7>

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

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