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School Uniform Grants

The Council recognises the impact of the cost of living crisis on families across the borough.

Over the last two years the Council has supported the continued provision of food vouchers during school holiday periods for those families eligible for free school meals.

At its meeting on the 23rd February the Council approved funding to enable the introduction of a school uniform grant to support those families most in need.

The Council has agreed to the payment of a grant to all families eligible for free school meals, on the basis of £30 per primary age child and £50 per secondary age child, to be administered through schools in the same way that the Council funded food voucher scheme has operated.

Schools have been asked to issue e-vouchers to eligible families using the same arrangement that have been used over the last two years in respect of food vouchers.

This will be a one-off payment to those families eligible during the summer term 2022, with vouchers being issued during May and June.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "I. Booler".

Isobel Booler
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