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HEALTHY SCHOOLS UPDATE

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Dear Parents/Carers,

This half term we have been looking at the school dining environment and discussing school dinner arrangements.

Some members of the Healthy Schools Working Party have visited other schools to gain ideas about ways that we can improve our dining area, and the School Council have been sharing children's suggestions and deciding which ideas can be considered.

We have met Vicky Columbus, the school cook, and discussed school dinners and the way children have dinners served.

As a result of our meetings, we hope to be introducing some improvements to the dining area eg: the possibility of a self-service salad bar for children, arrangements of tables, improvements to the dining environment etc.

We are very pleased that our meals meet the national guidance on nutritional standards for school dinners (more information at www.schoolfoodtrust.org.uk)

All food is prepared and cooked on the premises, with a large supply of fresh fruit and vegetables coming from local suppliers. Children have a choice of main course and pudding every day, which can be seen on the enclosed menus. All school menus are also now in the Healthy Schools section of our school website.

Anyone wishing to sample our school dinners would be most welcome. We will be having special days when children/parents can have a school dinner. (children £1.75, adults £2.50) These will be:

Year 2: Tuesday 7th November 12.15 pm

Year 3: Tuesday 14th November 12.30 pm

Year 4: Tuesday 21st November 12.30 pm

Years 5/6 Tuesday 28th November 12.30 pm

If you would like to sample our school meals, please complete the slip below and return it by

Tuesday 31st October. We look forward to welcoming you to dinner at Milton School!

With best wishes

J Cattermole A Lycett

Healthy Schools Coordinators

School Dinner Invitation

I _____ and/or my child _____ (please delete as appropriate) would like to have a school meal on _____.

I enclose the sum of £ _____ (cash only please).

Signed _____