

26<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am delighted to inform you that from the first day of the summer term – **Tuesday 22nd April 2025** – King's Lander Primary Academy will be offering a free universal breakfast club for all pupils from Reception to Year 6, as part of the Department for Education (DfE) initiative to support children's wellbeing and readiness to learn.

Although DfE guidance suggests a 30-minute provision, with the support of the Trust, we will be offering a full hour of breakfast club each morning, from 7.45am to 8.45am.

What to Expect:

- A nutritious breakfast including toast, a selection of cereals, and a drink
- A range of fun and engaging activities to help pupils start the day in a positive and calm environment
- A safe, supervised space for pupils to socialise and prepare for the school day

Booking and Arrival:

In order to help us plan effectively and ensure we have enough food and supervision in place, it is essential that parents/carers book in advance if their child will be attending breakfast club. This will be done via an app called MyChildAtSchool (MCAS). Please see attached sheet regarding this. Support sessions will be available both via zoom and in person, as detailed on the sheet.

Please note that all children accessing breakfast club should now enter via the main school entrance. Pupils should also arrive before 8.30am to ensure they have enough time to enjoy their breakfast and activities.

We are extremely proud and excited to be one of only a handful of schools in the Local Authority to be launching this extended provision and we do hope that it will support many of our families by helping to provide a nutritious and positive start to each school day.

If you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Dineley  
Principal