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## **Our Lady of Lourdes School Meal Registration Form**

### **ABOUT THIS FORM**

From September 2014 all children who are in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 in a state-funded school will be offered a free healthy school lunch. Children in other school years will also be offered a free school lunch if their parent is receiving any of the welfare benefits listed overleaf.

# Why it's important to register for Free School Meals – Registering could raise money for your child's school

Registering for free meals could raise an extra £1,345.00 for your child's school, to fund valuable support like extra tuition, additional teaching staff or after school activities for your child.

This additional money is available from central government for every child whose parent is receiving one of the welfare benefits listed in the form. It is therefore important to sign up for free school meals, even if your child is in reception, year 1 or year 2, so that your child's school receives as much funding as possible.

### How the information in this form will be used

The information you provide in this form will be used by the council to confirm receipt of one of the listed welfare benefits. Once this is confirmed, this helps to decide how much money your child's school will receive each year.

The information will also be used in relation to children in year 3 or above to decide whether they are eligible for free school meals.

You only need to complete this form once and it will last for the duration of your child's time at their current school.

# Thank you for completing this form and helping to make sure your child's school is as well funded as possible.

We are committed to ensuring that the personal and sensitive information that we hold about you is protected and kept safe and secure, and we have measures in place to prevent the loss, misuse or alteration of your personal information.

We will use the information you provide to assess entitlement to free school meals. The information may also be shared with other Council departments to offer benefits and services.

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#### ABOUT YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN

Child's Last Name	Child's First Name	Chile	d's Date	of Birth	Class
		DD	MM	YYYY	
		DD	MM	YYYY	
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		DD	MM	YYYY	

#### **PARENT/GUARDIAN DETAILS**

	Parent/Guardian 1								Parent/Guardian 2													
Last name																						
First Name																						
Date of Birth		DD			MM			YYYY				DD			MM			YYYY				
National Insurance Number*						•											•					
National Asylum Support Service (NASS) Number*			1			1								1	•		1				•	

* Complete as appropriate
FAMILY INCOME AND BENEFIT DETAILS
Is your joint family income over £16,190.00 per year? (Please place an X in the appropriate box). Yes No If you have ticked yes, you do not need to complete the next section and can go straight to the declaration at the end of the form.
<ul> <li>If you ticked no, please place an X in this box if you are in receipt of any of the benefits listed below: <ul> <li>Income Support</li> <li>Income-based Jobseekers Allowance</li> <li>Income-related Employment and Support Allowance</li> <li>Support from NASS (National Asylum Support Service) under part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999</li> <li>the guarantee element of State Pension Credit</li> <li>Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190.00</li> <li>Working Tax Credit run-on</li> <li>Universal Credit.</li> </ul> </li></ul>
Please place an X in this box if you are not sure whether your joint family income is over £16,190.00 or whether you are in receipt of one of the benefits listed above, but you would still like us to check whether your child is eligible for free school meals.
<u>DECLARATION</u> The information I have given on this form is complete and accurate. I understand that my personal information is held securely and will be used only for local authority purposes. I agree to the local authority using this information to process my application for free school meals. I also agree to notify the

local authority in writing of any change in my family's financial circumstances as set out in this form.