

AS A PARENT OR GUARDIAN ARE YOU ENTITLED TO A FREE SCHOOL MEAL FOR YOUR CHILDREN ATTENDING A SCHOOL WITHIN CONWY COUNTY BOROUGH?

YOU COULD SAVE £450 PER YEAR FOR EACH CHILD IF YOU APPLIED AND QUALIFIED.

In order to qualify for Free School Meal entitlement for your child/children you need to be in receipt of one of the following support payments –

- Universal Credit with no earnings*
- Universal Credit with annual net earnings of no more than £7400 (April, 2019)*
- Income Support*
- Income-Based Jobseeker's Allowance*
- Child Tax Credit provided they are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual household income, as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs that does not exceed £16,190
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999.
- State Pension Credit Guarantee Element
- Employment Support Allowance Income Related*
- Working Tax Credit 'run on' - the payment someone may receive for a further four weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit



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(*Pupils who receive Income Support, Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance, Employment Support Allowance Income Related and Universal Credit in their own right are also eligible)

If you become entitled to a Free School Meal for one of your children, you will continue to receive entitlement for that child until December, 2023, even if your circumstances change. You will however need to inform us if your child leaves or changes school before this date.

For every pupil that is in receipt of a Free School Meal Conwy County Borough Council receive funding from the Welsh Government which enables the School to provide additional support to those children. So if you have an entitlement please apply.

If you wish to apply please print and complete the Free School Meal Application at

www.conwy.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals and send to –

Revenue and Benefits Assessment Services
PO Box 1
Conwy
LL30 9GN

If you require a paper form, or any help in completing the form; or have any other questions, you can **contact a member of the team or visit one of our offices within the Conwy County.**



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