

Sheffield City Council

Leader: Julie Dore



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TO:

Dear Parent

#### FREE SCHOOL MEAL VOUCHERS FOR OCTOBER HALF TERM

Following the decision by Government not to support free school meals this half term, Sheffield City Council will be providing a voucher for £15 worth of food per child to help make sure children don't go hungry over the holidays.

We have worked with Edenred, the company who managed the Free School Meals vouchers over the summer. They have given us a unique code for you to use for (insert name of child) which will be for £15 worth of food items to use for the half term holiday.

Your unique 16 digit e-Code is: #####

You need to go online to swap this code for an eGift card (an online voucher).

Edenred's website address is [www.edenred.co.uk](http://www.edenred.co.uk). Please follow the instructions by putting in your 16 digit e-Code. The place to enter the code says '*enter the code you have received from the school*' - this is where you put the code although you have received it from the council rather than the school. Edenred will send you an e-gift card / online voucher for one of the supermarkets that are part of the scheme. They will then send you an e-Gift card email that contains a link to a bar code. That bar code can be presented at the till in store either on a smartphone screen or printed on a piece of paper.

On this website there is also a Parents FAQ page which you may find helpful.

If you have difficulty accessing the Edenred website or don't have access to a computer, please ring Sheffield City Council on 0114 2734567 and we will help to get your voucher printed and sent to you.

I hope this support goes some way to helping you over this difficult period.

Yours sincerely

Julie Dore

Leader of the Council