

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

*Guidance for Parents/carers 2020/21 Additional Free school payment* 

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## **1** Frequently Asked Questions

- 1. Why is this grant not including Clothing Grant families? Scottish Government have provided money to help support children in receipt of Free School Meals only.
- How do I apply for Free School Meals?
  Please complete an online application form (insert link to Free school Meal application)
- 3. How do I know if I am eligible for Free School Meals? Please refer to the eligibility criteria on the web page under Free School Meals/Breakfast club.
- I am entitled but I do not have a bank account? Scotcash Credit Union can help with an account that we can pay your grant into. Visit our website for further details.
- 5. I have not received payment? If you are currently in receipt of free school meals, please allow up to 11<sup>th</sup> of December for payment to be received. For new applicants please allow 5 working days from the date of submitting your application. If you have allowed the given timescales, please complete an online enquiry form (link to enquiry form)
- My child is in P1-P4 and receives a Free School Meal why do I not qualify for this payment? Scottish government have provided money to help support low income families who are in receipt of the qualifying benefits.

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