

**SCHOOL MEALS UPDATE**

The current issues around the lack of H.G.V. drivers and the lack of availability of certain goods, means that the Lancashire Catering Service is experiencing disruption to its food supplies.

As a result, from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October there will be a 3-week period, up to the half-term holiday, when the menu choice offered for School Meals will be restricted.

At this stage Lancashire Catering Service hope that things will return to normal at the start of November.

**INFORMATION AND CONSENT FORMS:**

There are still a small number of these forms that have still not been returned to school. These contain very important information about your child, and require you to give your consent for various activities such as them using the internet in school, which is vital to every child's learning. Without parental permission, a child will not be able to access very important learning resources.

**The Information and Consent Form must be returned by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October. If you have lost it, please ask for another one from the school office.**

**NASAL FLU VACCINE RESPONSE:**

A small number of parents have not yet returned the response form, which was sent out a couple of weeks ago. We need a response from every parent, whether it is a YES or a NO.

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU RESPOND TO ANY REQUEST MADE OF YOU FOR INFORMATION OR FOR THE RETURN OF FORMS, BY THE DEADLINE DATE INDICATED ON THEM. IT CAUSES A LOT OF EXTRA AND UNNECESSARY WORK FOR THE SCHOOL OFFICE STAFF AND YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER IF THE DATE FOR RETURN IS IGNORED, AND MISSING ITEMS HAVE TO BE CHASED UP.**

**THANK YOU TO THE VERY LARGE MAJORITY OF PARENTS WHO ALWAYS RETURN THINGS BEFORE THE DEADLINE.**