Edward Peake C of E (VC) Middle School

Headteacher: Miss Z J Linington
Potton Road, Biggleswade, Bedfordshire. SG18 0EJ

Tel: 01767 314562 E-mail: <u>info@edwardpeake.beds.sch.uk</u> Web: http://www.edwardpeake.beds.sch.uk



21 November 2022

Dear Parent/Carers

If your child takes a packed lunch to school every day, then please disregard this letter.

I am writing to update you on the position with the kitchen and school dinners. Unfortunately, our kitchen manager, cook and one general kitchen assistant are all absent through illness. It now seems unlikely that they will return before the end of this term. The remaining ladies in the kitchen have struggled on valiantly and with the support of other staff are able to provide a large variety of cold sandwiches and baguettes or hot options including jacket potatoes, sausage rolls and Pasta King.

The situation is far from ideal, especially in the winter months. The school has approached local agencies in an attempt to cover the absence but have not been successful. If you know of anyone that might be able to help us in the kitchen, we would be very interested in hearing from you!

In the meantime, please bear with us, we are doing all that we can to ensure that there are at least some hot food options available and we remain very hopeful that in January, the situation will be alleviated. Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Yours sincerely

Miss Z J Linington Headteacher





