

# St Matthew Academy

St Joseph's Vale, Blackheath, London SE3 0XX  
Executive Head: Mr Serge Cefai  
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Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to advise you of a change to the Academy Catering Service. As of Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2018 we have outsourced our catering service to Chartwells – a long standing and experienced catering company to schools, academies and universities and a provider of a large proportion of the school meals to pupils in Lewisham schools. Chartwells' published aim is to serve pupils great tasting but most importantly nutritious meals each and every day and to ensure every child has access to fresh healthy meals. The service will include many new, exciting and tasty items on the menu with the aim of providing a healthy, wholesome lunch ensuring our pupils "Eat, Learn and Live".

In the secondary phase Chartwells will still offer a Meal Deal option for £2.40. This is the price previously charged by the Academy and represents the best value for money option as well as ensuring pupils eat a good quality and healthy meal at lunch. The Meal Deal will include a hot main meal or a sandwich/salad/snack pot served with a dessert. In addition there will be a Hydration Station for pupils to access drinking water to have with their lunch and we have installed new water fountains in the playground so that pupils can fill water bottles from home. The choices for lunch are now much wider and full details of the weekly menu and price list can be found on the Academy website. Enclosed with this letter is the 3 week rotating menu and you may also wish to peruse Chartwells company website for further information.

Please contact the school if you have any queries regarding this change and a member of staff will be happy to discuss this. Please also talk to your child about the lunch choices they are making and as you are aware their spending can be tracked on ParentPay. Chartwells are keen to gather feedback from pupils and so will be conducting a series of focus groups over the coming term with interested pupils across all phases of the Academy.

Yours faithfully,

**Miranda Baldwin**  
Head of School

WEEK 1					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>GLOBAL ADVENTURE</b>	<b>CARIBBEAN</b> Mild Caribbean chicken, coconut and pineapple curry Wholegrain Rice* Garlic and Lime Corn on the Cob	<b>CHINESE</b> Aromatic Soy Pork with Egg Noodles Wok Tossed Oriental Vegetables	<b>MEXICAN</b> Chicken and Bean Enchilada Sour Cream Mashed Potatoes Sweetcorn	<b>INDIAN</b> Beef Keema Balti Curry Cucumber Raita Naan Bread	<b>BRITISH</b> Home-made Battered Fish Fillet Chips Peas
<b>HIGH STREET FAVES</b>	Halloumi & Roasted Vegetable Wrap	Veggie Quarter Pounder (v)	Lentil, Pepper & Sweetcorn Sloppy Joe	Quorn & Mushroom Burger (v)	Veg & Bean Quesadilla (v)
	Sweet herby crushed new potatoes	Cajun Wedges	Paprika Wedges (no oil)	Red Onion and cheese loaded skins	Chips
	Chop Chop Salad	BBQ Slaw	Beetroot, Carrot & Apple Salad	Caesar Salad	Pineapple Coleslaw
<b>Cold Fair</b>	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich
	Assorted Cold Sweets	Assorted Cold Sweets	Assorted Cold Sweets	Assorted Cold Sweets	Assorted Cold Sweets
	Assorted Wraps	Assorted Wraps	Assorted Wraps	Assorted Wraps	Assorted Wraps

WEEK 2					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>GLOBAL ADVENTURE</b>	<b>BRITISH</b> Cheese, Tomato and Potato Bake Broccoli	<b>MEXICAN</b> Baked Beef Chimichangas Wholegrain Rice* Streetcorn Salad	<b>BRITISH</b> Twice Cooked Pork Belly Roast Potatoes Braised Red Cabbage Carrots	<b>JAPANESE</b> Chicken Katsu Curry Rice Noodles Pickled Cucumber Salad	<b>THAI</b> Sweet Chili Salmon Wrap*** Chips Peas
<b>HIGH STREET FAVES</b>	Veggie Chilli Tacos (v)	BBQ Pulled Quorn Wrap (v)	Sweet Potato & Black Bean Enchilada (v)	BBQ Quorn and Vegetable Skewer	Quorn Sausage Pattie & Cheese Bun
	Crushed Sweet Potato	Paprika Wedges	Baked Garlic & Herb Wedges	Garlic Bread*	Chips
	Red Slaw	BBQ Beans	American Style Slaw	Corn on the Cob	Apple Slaw
<b>COLD FAIR</b>	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich
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WEEK 3					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>GLOBAL ADVENTURE</b>	<b>INDIAN</b> Chickpea and Tomato Masala Wholegrain Rice* Green Beans	<b>CHINESE</b> BBQ Mandarin Pork Beggars Noodles Stir Fried Vegetables	<b>MEXICAN</b> Beef Barbecoa Baked Garlic & Herb Potato Wedges Broccoli Sweetcorn	<b>THAI</b> Thai Red Chicken Curry Lime and Coriander Rice Crunchy Vegetable Salad	<b>BRITISH</b> Home-made Battered Fish Fillet Chips Baked Beans
<b>HIGH STREET FAVES</b>	Black Eyed Bean Veggie Burger (v)	Loaded Triple Mac 'N' Cheese (v)	Cauliflower & Creamed Corn Bake (v)	Grilled Piri Butternut & Halloumi Skewers (v)	Black Eyed Bean and Vegetable Jambalaya
	Paprika Wedges	Carnival rice	Baked Garlic & Herb Wedges (no oil)	Tomato and Herb Rice	Chips
	Corn Slaw	Southern Greens	BBQ Beans	Sweetcorn Fritter	House Slaw
<b>COLD FAIR</b>	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich	Assorted Sandwich
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